

Independent Order of Odd Fellows

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
GRAND LODGE
OF THE
State of Iowa



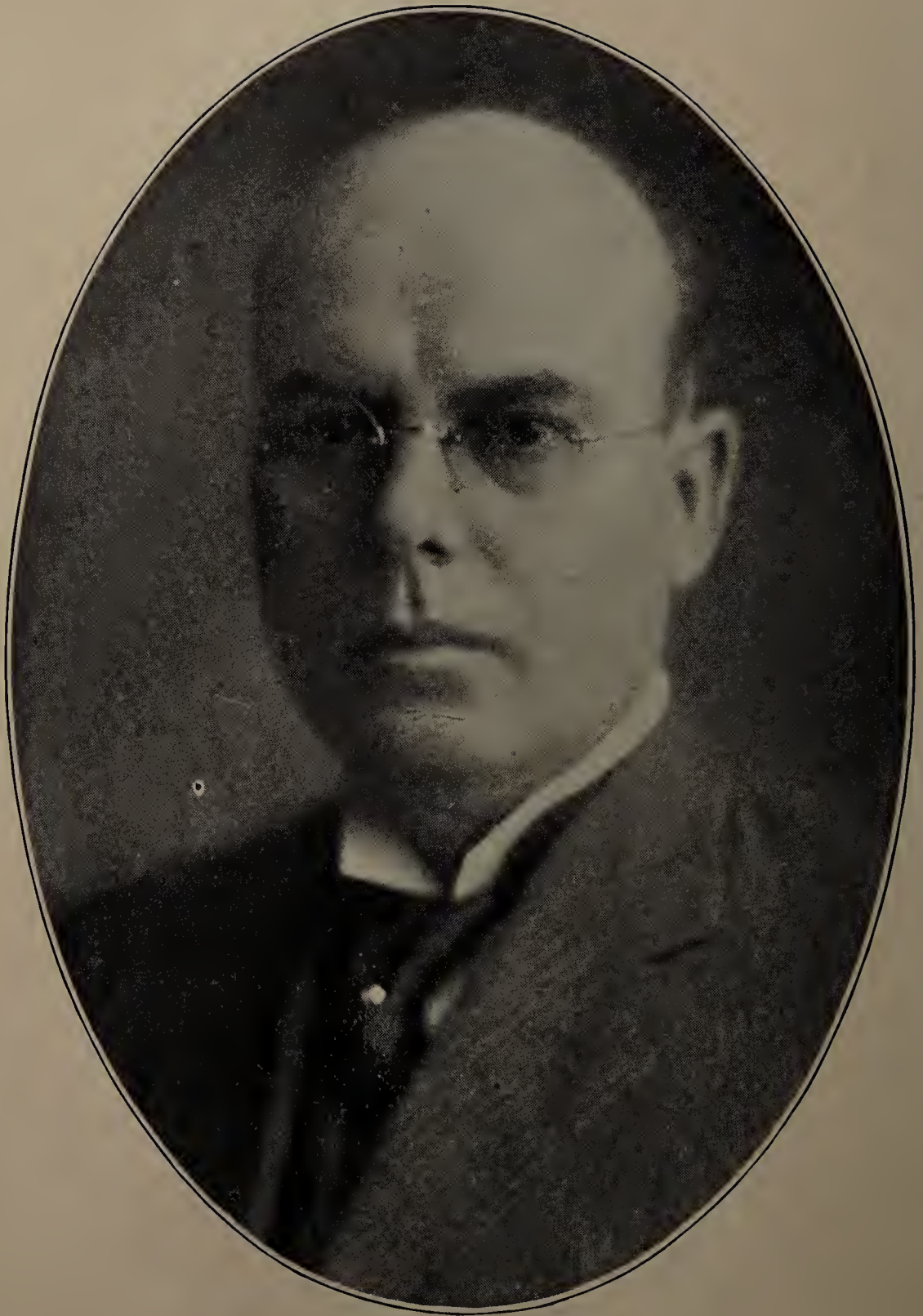
Seventy-third Annual Session

Des Moines, Iowa, October 20-21-22

1920



F. F. RODGERS
Grand Master 1919-1920



JOHN R. PRICE
Grand Master 1920-1921

I. O. O. F.

Seventy-Third Annual Session
of the

Grand Lodge of Iowa

Held at

KEOKUK
October 20 - 22
1920

Including
Special Session at Des Moines
December 30, 1919

Grand Lodge Officers

Grand Master	John R. Price, Albia
Deputy Grand Master	Lynn J. Irwin, Logan
Grand Warden	L. J. Neff, Walnut
Grand Secretary	L. W. Smith, Des Moines
Grand Treasurer	A. E. Hindorff, Newton
Grand Representative	C. E. Alexander, Des Moines
Grand Representative	J. M. Hazlett, Mason City
Grand Marshal	J. P. Lambertson, Albia
Grand Conductor	C. E. Behnke, Plymouth
Grand Guardian	Geo. M. Beck, Logan
Grand Herald	Joe Chapman, Washta
Grand Messenger	James L. Moore, Cedar
Grand Chaplain	B. W. Pettit, Albia
Grand Inside Reporter	J. O. Eno, Indianola
Grand Outside Reporter	C. E. MacCanon, Des Moines

Grand Encampment Officers

Grand Patriarch	S. A. Koch, Mason City
Grand High Priest	S. C. Paschal, Colfax
Grand Senior Warden	E. B. Clinton, Marshalltown
Grand Junior Warden	H. C. Dewar, Cherokee
Grand Scribe	L. W. Smith, Des Moines
Grand Treasurer	T. R. Osborne, New Sharon
Grand Representative	J. W. Frizzell, Brooklyn
Grand Representative	Geo. A. Butcher, Des Moines
Grand Marshal	C. E. Behnke, Plymouth
Grand Sentinel	A. E. Minion, Humboldt
Grand Outside Sentinel	R. Eshelman, Cherokee

Rebekah Assembly Officers

President	Emma Miller, Cherokee
Vice President	Nannie Buckley, Menlo
Warden	Maude Bunker, Cambridge
Secretary	S. Elizabeth Matheney, Keokuk
Treasurer	Nellie Hazlett, Mason City
Marshal	Lulu B. Engelkain, LeMars
Conductor	Alma Erdman, Keokuk
Chaplain	Bessie Beers, Primghar
Inside Guardian	Margaret Koch, Mason City
Outside Guardian	Daisy Forrester, Adel
Messenger	Orba Swayze, Richland
Reporter	Georgia Quigley, Des Moines
Stenographer	Zephyr B. Gilpin, Des Moines
Outside Stenographer	Floy Butcher, Des Moines

Journal of the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Iowa Special Session

Hall of Fort Des Moines, Lodge No. 25

Des Moines, Iowa, December 30, 1919.

As by the call of Grand Master F. F. Rodgers, issued November 29, 1919, the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa, met in Special Session in the Hall of Fort Des Moines Lodge, No. 25, in the Odd Fellows Temple in the City of Des Moines, and was called to order by Grand Master Rodgers at nine o'clock A. M., December 30, 1919, and opened in due form.

Roll Call

By order of the Grand Master the Grand Secretary called the roll of officers of the Grand Lodge, Past Grand Masters, Representatives and such committees as had been specially summoned to be in attendance at this special session.

Officers Present

F. F. Rodgers	Grand Master
John R. Price	Deputy Grand Master
Lynn J. Irwin	Grand Warden
L. W. Smith	Grand Secretary
W. A. Merriam	Assistant Grand Secretary
A. E. Hindorff	Grand Treasurer
Stymest Stevenson	Grand Representative
W. S. Kight	Grand Representative
F. J. Alber	Grand Marshal
S. B. Bair	Grand Conductor
Jeppe Thomsen	Grand Guardian
Wm. Hulett	Grand Herald
C. E. Behnke	Grand Messenger
R. N. Burress	Grand Chaplain
J. O. Eno	Grand Shorthand Reporter
Wil V. Tufford	Grand Reporter

Past Grand Masters Present

J. S. Bellamy	G. L. Snyder	E. W. Cutting
J. C. Koonz	J. H. Henderson	O. H. Sweeney
N. Jasper Jones	L. W. Smith	W. S. Kight
Z. A. Church	D. B. Gunn	C. E. Alexander
Wil V. Tufford	H. C. Ring	J. M. Hazlett
	Stymest Stevenson	

Trustees Iowa Odd Fellows Homes

Geo. Adair, Chairman.

John C. Scott, Secretary.

S. A. Koch, Treasurer.

And a quorum of representatives holding over as follows:

Dist.	Name	Dist.	Name
1	E. D. Walsworth	37	E. A. Cairns
3	J. W. Campbell	38	L. B. DeSeelhorst
5	F. R. McLaughlin	39	A. C. Curtis
6	H. F. Jacobsen	40	I. W. Hyatt
7	A. D. Crawford	41	A. E. Baumgartner
8	T. W. Hughes	42	James A. V. Brown
9	Paul H. Shader	43	Guy M. Everett
11	J. B. Smith	43	S. L. Jefferson
12	F. S. Carpenter	44	F. L. Clawson
13	O. E. Johnson	45	J. A. Cutting
14	E. A. Wissler	46	Otto Windrath
16	C. O. Henderson	49	A. H. Moravec
17	A. R. Cain	50	E. J. Failor
17	A. L. Heiny	50	G. T. Robinson
18	C. L. Kissinger	51	J. L. Hicks
19	Fred Gulick	53	H. H. Soper
23	W. L. Slocumb	54	J. M. White
24	T. V. Walker	55	C. F. Buker
25	J. H. Spillers	56	O. L. Sohl
25	William Winegar	57	H. H. Bye
26	J. M. Krewson	57	A. C. Cherry
29	Harry Koepf	57	J. C. Kennedy
30	A. D. Gray	59	F. C. Elliott
31	John Whitsell	60	J. K. Medberry
33	C. H. Benson	61	R. C. McKray
34	C. E. Dawson	62	J. A. Haines
35	G. W. Hooker	63	J. R. Morris
36	William Anspach	63	L. K. Butterfield

65	Geo. O. Free	79	F. P. Marvin
66	L. E. Hunt	80	J. H. Yaryan
67	Lester Seitzinger	81	W. C. Abney
68	John R. Price	82	John P. Weir
69	F. W. Smith	83	Chas. A. Rice
70	M. J. McDermott	84	Nels Dearborn
71	James W. Dow	85	F. L. Albaugh
72	Frank W. Hunt	86	J. H. Crossman
73	Guy L. Pond	87	J. O. Anderson
74	S. D. Bickford	88	H. H. Kellogg
76	R. A. Huff	89	J. S. Forgrave
77	C. E. Cornish	90	C. L. Firkins
77	Eugene Ford	92	J. H. Younkin
77	J. B. Lamb	94	H. C. Brand
77	L. Nelson	95	M. V. Secor
77	A. E. Tyler	97	Jack Asprey
77	Samuel Walker	97	B. W. Pilkington
78	W. H. James	98	H. P. Stehn
78	L. J. Neff		

The Grand Secretary read the resignation of C. E. Upton, Representative from District No. 44, and the Grand Master appointed A. D. Budde to fill the vacancy.

The Grand Secreary read the following letter from F. F. Wunder, Grand Patriarch, and the Grand Master instructed the Grand Secretary to reply to same:

Harlan, Iowa, December 29, 1919.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Des Moines, Iowa.

The undersigned, as the representative head, hereby extends the greetings of the Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F. of Iowa, to the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Iowa, meeting in special session and sincerely hopes that your deliberations will be harmonious, and your conclusions just and right and for the best interests of our beloved Order.

Cordially and fraternally yours,

F. F. Wunder, Grand Patriarch.

The Grand Secretary read the following call for the special session:

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS OF IOWA

Office of the Grand Master

Ames, Iowa, November 29, 1919.

To the Grand Lodge Officers, Representatives and Past Grand Masters:

In accordance with the instruction of the Grand Lodge at the Ames session, I hereby call a special session of the Grand Lodge to be held in the Odd Fellows Temple in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, the 30th day of December, 1919, at nine o'clock a. m.

The business to be transacted shall be that of considering the report of the special committee appointed to investigate the complaint in regard to the management of the Iowa Odd Fellows' and Orphans' Homes located at Mason City, and all matters germane thereto or growing out of same, and to provide for the payment of the expenses incurred by said committee and the holding of this special session, and for no other purpose.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused to be affixed the seal of the Grand Lodge at Ames, Iowa, this 29th day of November, 1919.

F. F. Rodgers,

Grand Master.

ATTEST:

L. W. Smith,

Grand Secretary.

Representative Guy M. Everett, Chairman of the special committee appointed at Ames to investigate matters pertaining to the Homes at Mason City, presented the following report and moved its adoption:

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, I. O. O. F.:

We, your Special Committee, to whom was referred the petition of Rockwell Lodge, No. 344, located at Rockwell, Iowa, also the petition signed by a part of Mason City Lodge, No. 224, relative to certain complaints having been made and published in the public press, relative to misconduct in the management of the Odd Fellows Homes at Mason City, Iowa, and to alleged cruel and inhuman treatment of the inmates thereof, beg to report that we have performed our duties to the best

of our knowledge and ability, that this committee immediately took evidence at Ames, Iowa, Des Moines, Iowa, and later at Mason City, Iowa, at the Orphans and Old Folks Home and at Waterloo, Iowa, and we further report that we submit with this report a typewritten transcript of all the testimony that has been taken by this committee and we submit as the findings of this committee the following:

That the only evidence of excessive punishment that this committee has been able to find is that one of the inmates, Virgil Lincoln, who received the punishment, excessive punishment, was at the hands of an assistant matron, Mrs. Morgan, that as soon as this was brought to the attention of the matron, Mrs. Striker, this offending assistant matron was removed from her position of authority, and was, as soon as possible to relieve her by other help, dismissed from the services at the Home, and so far as this committee has been able to determine, has left Mason City. This committee further finds that there was no attempt made on the part of any one in authority, either the Trustees, Matron or the then Grand Master, to conceal or excuse the seriousness of the offense and did everything in their power as speedily as possible to remove the disturbing factor.

We find as a matter of fact, as one of the witnesses expressed it, the boys at the Home are "Young America," that they are filled with the average desire to violate the rules of the Home, possibly not in the spirit of meanness, but in a spirit of boys' delight in resisting authority, and along this line we find the boys at the Home no different than the same number of children would be in any other capacity.

We find that the three boys who ran away from the Home did so, as we believe under the urging of an older boy by the name of Eddie Letscher. We called this boy before the committee and the committee is unanimous in saying he is a disturbing factor in the Home, and we believe that the evidence affirmatively shows that these boys had made arrangements to run away from the Home before the whipping, which they gave as their reason for running away, occurred.

We find from the evidence that when necessary and during the administration of Sister Lewis, and also Sister Striker, it has been necessary at various times in the interest of good government and discipline at the Home to inflict corporal punishment on some of the children and the evidence of the Hatch boys at Des Moines, will show that no more harsh or severe punishment has taken place under the administration of Sister Striker than did under the administration of Sister Lewis, except the punishment administered by the assistant matron, Mrs. Morgan.

We further find that one of the interested and complaining wit-

nesses, a member of this Order by the name of George Letscher, has within the last two weeks been called to the Home because of an infraction of the rules by his son, Eddie Letscher, and that after he had learned of the offense of his son, he took upon himself the punishment of Eddie for the infraction of the rules and whipped his own child, at the Home, with a board, and this committee finds that said brother was of the opinion that the punishment the boy received at that time was justly deserved.

Your committee is firmly of the opinion that where there is such a gathering of coming American citizens congregated together, that it will be necessary to continue a certain amount of corporal punishment upon a percentage of the children who are so brought to this institution; that as a matter of fact it is harder to control and discipline the same children in such an institution than it would be in their own home. While we do not believe that any member of this Order will uphold or countenance any great or excessive punishment, we do believe that it is proper and essential that a reasonable and moderate amount of such punishment for the discipline of these children in the Home will be necessary, and we believe that such discipline will continue to be necessary in the future to maintain proper control of the children at the Home, and we believe it is the duty of every member of our beloved Order in the state, before they commence the circulation of stories or rumors of excessive punishment, that they first investigate the matter upon their own initiative before spreading the matter broadcast, to the detriment of the discipline of the Home and to the injury of the standing of the Order.

This committee finds from all the evidence before it, that Sister Striker had no personal knowledge that this excessive punishment was inflicted by Mrs. Morgan, and if anyone should be of the opinion that our matron, Sister Striker, should be censured because she did not know of such punishment being inflicted, this committee is constrained to believe that because of the crowded condition of the Homes and of the numerous and continually accumulating duties that fall upon her shoulders, that this Grand Lodge is heaping too many burdens upon the matron, and this committee is firmly of the opinion that Sister Striker is as well acquainted with her duties and as conversant with the management of the Homes and her multitude of duties as is possible for any one to be; and we believe that no person would be competent to perform the duties which our matron does in a more efficient or competent manner, and this committee is of the opinion that the duties and responsibilities now resting upon the shoulders of the matron are in reality more burdensome than should be placed upon any one person.

Your committee very carefully and thoroughly inspected the Homes and all of the buildings located at Mason City and we find them in excellent condition; clean and in good repair and well kept in every particular. We are happy to report that we found the most splendid feeling among the old folks at the Home. That since the first of January, 1919, there has been hardly a complaint relative to the management of the Old Folks' Home or relative to the treatment received by them from the officers and help in each of the institutions.

The members of the committee visited various members of the old folks in the Home and all were well satisfied with their treatment there; the only complaint that the inmates seemed to have at this time was in relation to the members of the Board of Trustees not being, as the inmates thought, friendly enough and brotherly enough to go around and shake hands with all of the inmates of the Home, or visit with them sufficiently to please them, and this, we say, is the only discordant note or complaint that was brought to our attention, except the matron is also condemned along the same lines.

The committee visited all the buildings, inspected their condition and paying particular attention to the method and manner in which things were handled relative to the farming end of the business around the Homes. We found everything in a reasonably well-kept condition, the silos filled, the hay in good condition and all in the barn, and so far as visible evidence is concerned, it would seem that this part of the Homes' affairs had received reasonably careful attention.

From the number of cows maintained in the dairy herd and the superintendent's report of the amount of milk produced, it seems to this committee that in the interest of economy the dairy herd should be brought up to a higher standard so that there would be much more milk, cream and butter derived from it for the use of the inmates of the two Homes. We believe that there is an excessive expense at the present time because of the amount of stock being maintained on the farm which is consuming a quantity of food and from which there is being no revenue derived.

This committee feels that the Trustees have not in this particular matter, given serious consideration to this phase of the farm management.

Your committee is of the opinion that the laws of the Order do not provide for enough regular meetings of the Board of Trustees at the Homes and under the laws of the Order we do not believe the Trustees are endowed with sufficient authority to make the number of visits at the Homes as is necessary for the efficient supervision which the Trustees should have over the institutions.

Your committee is of the opinion that because of the infrequent visits required by the law, being only two per year, by the Board of Trustees, that the supervising effect of the Trustees is not sufficient, and that the institutions have not been supervised consistent with the importance which the institutions bear to our Order and which they should have.

Since the appointment of this committee there has been brought to its attention complaints, by some of the brothers, relative to the report of the Wallace Johnson estate, found on page 110 of the last Grand Lodge Journal, and also a matter from Dubuque, Iowa, in reference to a case of a deceased brother who died at the Home, and complaint being made as to the care of his remains by the undertaker at Mason City and also the fee charged by the undertaker. This committee is of the opinion that said matter has been raised since the appointment of the committee and that this committee is not privileged to report thereon.

Your committee having at heart the best interest of our Order, and having had come to our minds matters and suggestions which we believe will be beneficial to our institutions and to our Order, have taken the liberty of embodying in a second report the suggestions which we believe are necessary to the successful and efficient carrying on the work of our Order and the institutions at Mason City, and we embody in such report such recommendations and suggestions which your committee have ready to submit to this Grand Body; if such report is desired from this committee.

Dated at Mason City, Iowa, this 21st day of November, 1919.

Fraternally submitted,

GUY M. EVERETT,
JOHN WEIR,
H. H. BYE,

E. A. WISSLER,
F. P. MARVIN,
Committee.

Representative S. D. Bickford moved as a substitute that the evidence taken by the committee be read to this Grand Lodge. The substitute was adopted.

The Grand Master appointed Representatives O. L. Sohl, A. E. Baumgartner, Guy L. Pond and F. L. Albaugh to serve on the Mileage and Per Diem committee for special session only.

Brother D. F. Davis, chairman of the committee on mile-

age and per diem submitted the following report which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Resolved, That seven cents per mile one way by the shortest traveled route be allowed as mileage, and that \$8.00 be paid for attendance at this special session .

That \$4.00 be added for each day this session lasts beyond December 30th, also that \$4.00 be added for each day's attendance prior to the opening of this special session if required by official or committee duty.

Fraternally submitted,

D. F. Davis, Chairman.

The Grand Secretary presented the bills of the special committee which, on motion, were referred to the finance committee without reading.

The credential committee submitted the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your credential committee beg to report that we have examined the credentials of the Past Grands whose names appear below, and finding them regular we recommend that they receive the past official and Grand Lodge degrees and then admitted to this Grand Lodge session:

Name	Lodge	No.	Location
Bartlow, R. L.	Highland Park	612	Des Moines
Bilney, E. R.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Bricker, John J.	Center Star	588	Des Moines
Bryant, O. W.	Greenfield	375	Greenfield
Calonkey, H. C.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Caplan, L.	Montefiore	630	Des Moines
Carter, S. O.	University	356	Des Moines
Christiansen, C. O.	Atlantic	80	Atlantic
Dickerson, A. W.	Woodward	460	Woodward
DeClercq, B. H.	University	356	Des Moines
Grimm, W. E.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Hoff, R. L.	Grimes	479	Grimes
Horak, Milo	Center Star	588	Des Moines
Isaacson, R. H.	Montefiore	630	Des Moines

Israel, Chas.	Center Star	588	Des Moines
Maring, J. L.	Sherman	576	Des Moines
Marquis, C. R.	Highland Park	612	Des Moines
Pettipas, Wm.	Highland Park	612	Des Moines
Saylor, Al	Ft. Des Moines	25	Des Moines
Schatz, Harry	Montefiore	630	Des Moines
Seigal, Nate	Montefiore	630	Des Moines
Skiles, D. G.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Swartz, Ralph	Montefiore	630	Des Moines
Todd, A. C.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Todd, W. F.	Woodward	460	Woodward
Tickel, J. M.	Dallas	725	Dallas
Zimmerman, Fred	Ankeny Star	627	Ankeny

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. M. Wade,

J. K. Medberry,

C. O. Henderson,

O. H. Sweeney,

Committee.

On motion the Grand Marshal and Grand Warden were instructed to confer the Degrees in an adjoining room, after which the class was presented to the Grand Lodge and welcomed by the Grand Master.

The Chairman of the special committee then proceeded to read the evidence taken by said committee, which was continued until twelve o'clock when motion was made to adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Grand Lodge convened at 1:30 P. M. On motion roll call was dispensed with and the reading of the testimony continued.

The reading of the evidence was interrupted to hear the reading of the following two reports of the committee on Mileage and Per Diem, which were adopted:

Mileage and Per Diem of Grand Lodge Officers and Committees

NAME AND TITLE	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
F. F. Rodgers, Grand Master	Insurance	Ames	35	\$ 2 45	8 00	\$ 10 45
John R. Price, Deputy Grand Master	Attorney	Albia	68	4 76	8 00	12 76
Lynn J. Irwin, Grand Warden	Clerk of Court	Logan	158	11 06	8 00	19 06
L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary	Grand Secretary	Des Moines	--	-----	8 00	8 00
W. A. Merriam, Asst. Grand Secretary	Asst. Grand Secretary	Des Moines	--	-----	8 00	8 00
A. E. Hindorf, Grand Treasurer	Banker	Newton	35	2 45	8 00	10 45
W. S. Knight, Grand Representative	Minister	Des Moines	---	-----	8 00	8 00
Stymest Stevenson, Grand Representative	Salesman	Council Bluffs	141	9 87	8 00	17 87
F. J. Alber, Grand Marshal	County Auditor	Des Moines	---	-----	8 00	8 00
S. B. Bair, Grand Conductor		Webster City	71	4 97	8 00	12 97
Jeppe, Thomsen, Grand Guardian		Missouri Valley	163	11 41	8 00	19 41
Wm. Hulett, Grand Herald	Retired	Ames	35	2 45	8 00	10 45
C. E. Behnke, Grand Messenger	Farmer	Plymouth	130	9 10	8 00	17 10
R. N. Burress, Grand Chaplain	Minister	Belmond	96	6 72	8 00	14 72
J. O. Eno, Grand Inside Reporter	Court Reporter	Indianola	22	1 54	20 00	21 54
W. V. Tufford, Grand Outside Reporter	Newspaper	Clinton	223	15 61	8 00	23 61
Geo. Adair, Trustee	Retired	Shell Rock	129	9 03	8 00	17 03
S. A. Koch, Trustee	City Commissioner	Mason City	121	8 47	8 00	16 47
John C. Scott, Trustee	Sheriff	Keokuk	167	11 69	8 00	19 69
Wm. Wade Ch'm Credential Committee	Insurance	Woodward	28	1 96	8 00	9 96
D. F. Davis, Ch'm Mileage and Per Diem Committee	Railroad	Sioux City	193	13 51	8 00	21 51
G. R. Ahrens, Finance Committee	Banker	Belle Plaine	107	7 49	8 00	15 49
J. S. Bellamy, Past Grand Master	Mgr. Telephone Co.	Knoxville	35	2 45	8 00	10 45
J. C. Koonz, Past Grand Master	Locksmith	Burlington	164	11 48	8 00	19 48
N. Jasper Jones, Past Grand Master	Physician	Shelby	109	7 63	8 00	15 63
Z. A. Church, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Jefferson	66	4 62	8 00	12 62
G. I. Snyder, Past Grand Master		Marion	147	10 29	8 00	18 29
I. H. Henderson, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Des Moines	---	-----	8 00	8 00
D. B. Gunn, Past Grand Master	Manufacturer	Red Oak	116	8 12	8 00	16 12
H. C. Ring, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Cedar Rapids	142	9 94	8 00	17 94
E. W. Cutting, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Decorah	260	18 20	8 00	26 20
O. H. Sweeney, Past Grand Master	Real Estate	Waterloo	107	7 49	8 00	15 49
C. E. Alexander, Past Grand Master	Express Mgr.	Des Moines	---	-----	8 00	8 00
J. M. Hazlett, Past Grand Master	Bookbinder	Mason City	121	8 47	8 00	16 47
W. W. Brunton, Board of Instruction	Insurance	Boone	43	3 01	8 00	11 01
Norman D. Smith, Board of Instruction	Printer	Cedar Rapids	142	9 94	8 00	17 94
A. O. Moler, Board of Instruction	Printer	Des Moines	---	-----	8 00	8 00
Total			3374	\$236 18	\$308 00	\$544 18

Representatives

DIST	NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
1	Ed. Walsworth	Garage Mgr.	Fontanelle	95	\$ 6 65	\$ 8 00	\$ 14 65
3	J. W. Campbell	Insurance	Postville	223	15 61	8 00	23 61
5	J. W. McLaughlin	Farmer	Audubon	107	7 49	8 00	15 49
6	H. F. Jacobsen	Mgr. Telephone	Keystone	108	7 56	8 00	15 56
7	A. D. Crawford		Cedar Falls	108	7 56	8 00	15 56
8	T. W. Hughes	Coal Dealer	Boone	43	3 01	8 00	11 01
9	Paul Shader	Printer	Waverly	127	8 89	8 00	16 89
11	J. B. Smith	Painter	Alta	132	9 24	8 00	17 24
12	F. S. Carpenter	R. R. Foreman	Clarksville	116	8 12	8 00	16 12
13	O. E. Johnson	Ry. Agent	Manson	92	6 44	8 00	14 44
14	E. A. Wissler	Attorney	Carroll	95	6 65	8 00	14 65
16	C. O. Henderson		Tipton	180	12 60	8 00	20 60
17	A. R. Cain	Farmer	Clear Lake	120	8 40	8 00	16 40
17	A. L. Heiny	Farmer	Plymouth	130	9 10	8 00	17 10
18	C. L. Kissinger	Farmer	Washta	182	12 74	8 00	20 74
19	Fred Gulick	Farmer	Nashua	145	10 15	8 00	18 15
23	W. L. Slocumb	Engineer	Clinton	223	15 61	8 00	23 61
24	T. V. Walker		Denison	120	8 40	8 00	16 40
25	Wm. Winegar	Attorney	Perry	34	2 38	8 00	10 38
25	J. H. Spillers		Linden	37	2 59	8 00	10 59
26	J. M. Krewson	Hardware	Bloomfield	112	7 84	8 00	15 84
29	Harry Koepf	Clerk	Burlington	164	11 48	8 00	19 48
30	A. D. Gray		Spirit Lake	177	12 39	8 00	20 39
31	John Whitsell		Epworth	181	12 67	8 00	20 67
33	C. H. Benson	Mgr. Bus. Col.	Oelwein	132	9 24	8 00	17 24
34	C. E. Dawson	Postmaster	Rockford	141	9 87	8 00	17 87
35	G. W. Hooker	Salesman	Hampton	92	6 44	8 00	14 44
36	Wm. Anspach		Hamburg	155	10 85	8 00	18 85
37	E. A. Cairns	Farmer	Farlin	72	5 04	8 00	13 04
38	L. B. DeSeelhorst	Banker	Grundy Center	98	6 86	8 00	14 86
39	A. C. Curtis	Banker	Stuart	40	2 80	8 00	10 80
40	I. W. Hyatt	Retired	Webster City	71	4 97	8 00	12 97
41	A. E. Baumgartner	Clerk of Court	Garner	151	10 57	8 00	18 57
42	Jas. A. V. Brown	Machinist	Eldora	85	5 95	8 00	13 95
43	Guy Everett	Merchant	Woodbine	150	10 50	8 00	18 50
43	S. L. Jefferson	Ry. Conductor	Missouri Valley	163	11 41	8 00	19 41
44	D. A. Budde	Carpenter	Mt. Pleasant	138	9 66	8 00	17 66
44	F. L. Clawson		New London	146	10 22	8 00	18 22
45	J. A. Cutting	Attorney	Cresco	214	14 98	8 00	22 98
46	Otto Windrath	Hardware	Humboldt	107	7 49	8 00	15 49
49	A. H. Moravec	Merchant	Fulton	206	14 42	8 00	22 42
50	E. J. Failor		Newton	35	2 45	8 00	10 45
50	G. T. Robinson	Real Estate	Colfax	23	1 61	8 00	9 61
51	J. L. Hicks	Telephone	Fairfield	114	7 98	8 00	15 98
53	H. H. Soper	Retired	Anamosa	168	11 76	8 00	19 76
54	J. M. White	Real Estate	Keota	102	7 14	8 00	15 14
55	C. F. Buker	Letter Carrier	Swea City	148	10 36	8 00	18 36
56	O. L. Sohl	Dentist	Keokuk	167	11 69	8 00	19 69
57	H. H. Bye	State Inspector	Cedar Rapids	142	9 94	8 00	17 94
57	A. C. Cherry	County Treasurer	Cedar Rapids	142	9 94	8 00	17 94
57	J. C. Kennedy	Farmer	Mt. Vernon	158	11 06	8 00	19 06
59	F. C. Elliott	Painter	Chariton	53	3 71	8 00	11 71
60	J. K. Medberry	Bookkeeper	Rock Rapids	207	14 49	8 00	22 49
61	R. C. McKray	Farmer	Earlham	29	2 03	8 00	10 03
62	J. A. Haines	Farmer	Cedar	71	4 97	8 00	12 97
63	J. R. Morris		Tracy	49	3 43	8 00	11 43
63	L. K. Butterfield	Bookkeeper	Knoxville	35	2 45	8 00	10 45
65	Geo. O. Free	Banker	Mineola	154	10 78	8 00	18 78
66	L. E. Hunt	Merchant	Osage	151	10 57	8 00	18 57
67	Lester Seitzinger		Smithland	159	11 13	8 00	19 13
69	F. W. Smith	Physician	Red Oak	116	8 12	8 00	16 12
70	M. J. McDermott	Monuments	Wilton Junction	150	10 50	8 00	18 50
71	J. W. Dow	Plumber	Sanborn	183	12 81	8 00	20 81
72	Frank W. Hunt	Blacksmith	Sibley	180	12 60	8 00	20 60
73	Guy L. Pond	Contractor	Shenandoah	135	9 45	8 00	17 45
74	S. D. Bickford	Real Estate	Emmetsburg	139	9 73	8 00	17 73
76	R. A. Huff		Pocahontas	108	7 56	8 00	15 56
77	J. B. Lamb	Teacher	Des Moines			8 00	8 00
77	L. Nelson		Ankeny	11	77	8 00	8 77

Representatives—(Continued)

DIST	NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
77	A. E. Tyler.....	Bookkeeper.....	Des Moines.....	-----	-----	8 00	8 00
77	C. E. Cornish.....	Millwright.....	Des Moines.....	-----	-----	8 00	8 00
77	Eugene Ford.....	Farmer.....	Mitchellville.....	17	1 19	8 00	9 19
77	Sam Walker, Sr.....	Retired.....	Des Moines.....	-----	-----	8 00	8 00
78	L. J. Neff.....	Attorney.....	Walnut.....	95	6 65	8 00	14 65
78	W. H. James.....	Letter Carrier.....	Council Bluffs.....	141	9 87	8 00	17 87
79	F. P. Marvin.....	Sec. Inv. Co.....	Grinnell.....	55	3 85	8 00	11 85
80	J. H. Yaryan.....	Insurance.....	Diagonal.....	74	5 18	8 00	13 18
81	W. C. Abney.....	Farmer.....	Auburn.....	122	8 54	8 00	16 54
82	John P. Weir.....	Attorney.....	Davenport.....	175	12 25	8 00	20 25
83	Chas. A. Rice.....	Farmer.....	Harlan.....	114	7 98	8 00	15 98
84	Nels Dearborn.....	-----	Rock Valley.....	216	15 12	8 00	23 12
85	F. L. Albaugh.....	Painter.....	Nevada.....	36	2 52	8 00	10 52
86	J. H. Crossman.....	Laborer.....	Tama.....	86	6 02	8 00	14 02
87	J. O. Anderson.....	Retired.....	Bedford.....	102	7 14	8 00	15 14
88	H. H. Kellogg.....	Insurance.....	Creston.....	67	4 69	8 00	12 69
89	J. S. Forgrave.....	Postmaster.....	Farmington.....	137	9 59	8 00	17 59
90	C. L. Firkins.....	Barber.....	Ottumwa.....	90	6 30	8 00	14 30
92	J. H. Younkin.....	Lumber Dealer.....	Riverside.....	136	9 52	8 00	17 52
94	H. C. Brand.....	Grain Buyer.....	Fort Dodge.....	85	5 95	8 00	13 95
95	M. V. Secor.....	Plumber.....	Buffalo Center.....	156	10 92	8 00	18 92
97	Jack Asprey.....	Coffee Dealer.....	Sioux City.....	193	13 51	8 00	21 51
97	B. W. Pilkington.....	Farmer.....	Anthon.....	184	12 88	8 00	20 98
98	H. P. Stehn.....	Merchant.....	Northwood.....	142	9 94	8 00	17 84
Total.....				10764	\$753 48	\$744 00	\$1497 48
Total paid officers, committees, etc.....				3374	\$236 18	\$308 00	\$544 18
Total paid Representatives.....				10764	753 48	744 00	1497 48
Grand Total.....				14138	\$989 66	\$1052.00	\$2041 66

The Grand Secretary presented the bill for the use of the hall for this special session of the Grand Lodge, which was referred to the finance committee.

The reading of the evidence was then continued until finished.

It was moved by Representative John R. Price that the affidavits received in connection with this matter, whether considered too early or too late by the committee, be read. Motion prevailed.

Letters and affidavits were then read by Representatives L. J. Neff, Harry Koepf and Past Grand Master D. B. Gunn.

On motion of Past Grand Master H. C. Ring the Grand Lodge adjourned until 7:15 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

The Grand Lodge convened at 7:15 P. M. Representative E. J. Failor moved that debate be limited to ten minutes. Representative John R. Price offered an amendment to make the time thirty minutes. The amendment prevailed.

Representative W. L. Slocumb read the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That inasmuch as there is general criticism of the present management of the Odd Fellows Old Folks' and Orphans' Home at Mason City, the present Board of Trustees be requested to resign as such. Resignation to take effect immediately.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1919.

Signed by C. H. Benson, Rep. Dist. No. 33.

Signed by W. L. Slocumb, Rep. Dist. No. 23.

At the request of five members a roll call was demanded and resulted as follows:

Yeas: Abney, Albaugh, Anderson, Anspach, Benson, Bickford, Cairns, Campbell, Clawson, Crawford, Crossman, Curtis, Dawson, DeSeelhorst, Firkins, Ford, Free, Gray, Gulick, Haines, Hughes, James, Kellogg, McLaughlin, McDermott, McKray, Morris, Nelson, Price, Shader, Slocumb, Smith, F. W., Smith, J. B., Soper, Spillers, Tyler, Budde, Walker, Samuel, Walker, T. V., Whitsell, Winegar and Yaryan. Total, 42.

Nays: Asprey, Baumgartner, Brand, H. C., Brown, Buker, Bye, Cain, Carpenter, Cherry, Cornish, Cutting, Dearborn, Dow, Elliott, Everett, Failor, Forgrave, Heiny, Henderson, Hicks, Hooker, Huff, Hunt, Frank W., Hunt, L. E., Hyatt, Jacobsen, H. F., Jefferson, Johnson, Kennedy, Kissinger, Koepf, Krewson, Lamb, Marvin, Medberry, Moravec, Neff, Pilkington, Pond, Rice, Robinson, Secor, Seitzinger, Sohl, Stehn, Walsworth, Weir, White, Windrath, Wissler and YOUNKIN. Total, 51.

Resolution declared lost.

Past Grand Master H. C. Ring moved that the special committee be now required to present their recommendations to this Grand Body. Motion prevailed.

Representative Guy M. Everett presented the following recommendations:

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, I. O. O. F.:

Your special committee which has heretofore submitted to this Grand Body their report and findings on the condition of the Orphans and Old Folks Home at Mason City, Iowa, beg leave to submit for your consideration the following recommendations and suggestions which have come to our minds as a committee by reason of the investigation and inspection made in performing the duties devolving upon them, and submit for your respectful consideration the following:

First: That the laws of the Order be changed so as to require the Trustees to meet at the Homes at Mason City in regular session at set intervals of not less than six meetings per year, and that the said Trustees have the same supervisory duties and responsibilities that they now have.

Second: That the matron be released from attending to the business part of the management of the Homes, so that her whole effort can be given to the physical comfort and welfare, training and education of the inmates of the Homes.

Third: That the laws of the Order be changed so as to provide for a male superintendent of the Homes and property of the Order located at Mason City; said superintendent to have complete charge of all the business and of the financial end of the institutions at Mason City. That said superintendent shall be a person competent to keep an accurate and true record of all receipts and expenditures by reason of the Homes and farm at Mason City and shall be a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in good standing. Said superintendent to be under the jurisdiction of the Trustees.

Fourth: That specific regulations be adopted and printed showing the duties and responsibilities of both the superintendent and of the matron.

Fifth: That the dairy herd be made one of usefulness and kept at a standard which will insure a sufficient supply of milk and cream for the inmates of the Homes. In order to accomplish this result this committee would recommend that the herd be composed of young cows between the ages of three and seven years.

Sixth: That a standing resolution be adopted whereby no Trustee shall be elected to succeed himself in office.

Seventh: That if recommendation No. 3 be adopted none of the Trustees need be a resident of Mason City.

Past Grand Master H. C. Ring moved that the report of the special committee be accepted and placed on file with

the exception of the printing of the evidence. Motion prevailed.

Representative S. D. Bickford moved that the recommendations of the special committee be received and the chair appoint a committee of five representatives to make such recommendations as they deem proper, if the Grand Master rules it germane to this question, and that the recommendations be made at this session. The motion prevailed and the following committee was appointed: Representatives Wm. Winegar, A. E. Baumgartner, F. W. Smith, J. A. Cutting and O. L. Sohl.

Representative Guy M. Everett, for the special committee, presented the following report, which on motion was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your special committee, to whom was referred the matters from Washington Lodge No. 1 of Burlington, Iowa, relative to the application for admission into the Old Folks Home at Mason City by Mary Everingham beg to report that inasmuch as the law relative to the admittance of anyone to the Homes is specific and plain that this committee feels it must sustain the action of the trustees in this matter.

Fraternally submitted,

G. M. Everett,
John P. Weir,
F. P. Marvin,

E. A. Wissler,
H. H. Bye,

Committee.

Representative E. A. Wissler moved that the Grand Secretary be instructed, at the expense of the Grand Lodge, to print in sheet form the report of this special committee and that he furnish to each of the representatives of this Grand Lodge and Officers thereof, as many copies as they may need in their local lodges, and the districts they represent. The Grand Master asked that the motion just made place the number at 1,000 copies to be printed and a copy sent to each lodge in Iowa. The motion as amended prevailed.

A motion was made to release the report and evidence for publication. Said motion being lost.

Representative W. H. James presented the following resolution:

Whereas, That inasmuch as there has been general criticism of the resident member of the Board of Trustees, S. A. Koch, and the Matron, Mrs. Striker, at the Homes at Mason City, therefore, be it

Resolved, That these two be asked to resign from their official positions. The same to take effect at once.

W. H. James, Rep. 78.

W. L. Slocumb, Rep. 23.

F. S. Carpenter, Rep. 12.

Representative Wm. Winegar moved that the vote on the resolution be deferred until after the special committee on recommendations reported. Motion prevailed.

Representative Wm. Winegar, Chairman of the Special Committee, presented the following report, which was, on motion, adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Special Committee, to whom was referred the recommendations and findings of the Special Committee on the conditions at the Odd Fellows Homes at Mason City, Iowa, beg leave to report as follows:

That we considered carefully all of the matters submitted by said committee and other affidavits and find that brutal punishment was inflicted at different times upon residents of said Homes by a certain assistant matron who has since been removed and discharged, and is no longer connected with the Homes.

The evidence apparently indicates that the matron was not aware of this treatment. We feel that the duties devolving upon the matron and assumed by her are varied and numerous but we feel that she was negligent in not knowing of the punishment inflicted upon the residents of the Homes as indicated.

These Homes have grown and the residents are becoming more numerous and will do so in the future. The institution is of great importance and the pride of our beloved Order. Nothing should be permitted to occur that would in any manner reflect upon Odd Fellowship. We therefore recommend that the Board of Trustees be authorized and directed to employ a competent male superintendent of good character and good standing in the Order who shall have complete charge of all the business and financial affairs of the Homes under direction of the Trustees. That the Trustees shall define his duties. That the Trustees shall select if possible a married man whose wife shall be

competent to act as matron of the Homes. That the superintendent shall be required to give an indemnity bond to account for all funds coming into his hands, the premium to be paid for out of Grand Lodge funds.

We further find from the evidence that the resident Trustee, Brother S. A. Koch, was negligent in his duties, and we believe it would be for the best interest of our Order that he resign as such Trustee.

Therefore, be it, Resolved, That the Trustees of the Homes employ a competent superintendent as hereinbefore stated and recommend that the Trustees shall fix his salary and define his duties and that the matron be relieved of all duties that shall devolve upon the superintendent. Be it further

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Board of Home Trustees shall call at least two special meetings of the Board of Trustees at Mason City each year in addition to the two regular meetings provided in the Constitution.

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. H. Winegar,
J. A. Cutting,
O. L. Sohl,

F. W. Smith,
A. E. Baumgartner,
Committee.

Representative John R. Price moved that this resolution as adopted be printed in connection with the report of the special committee. Motion prevailed.

The resolution presented by Representative W. H. James was then read.

Representative John R. Price moved a division of the subject matter and a roll call taken on each. Motion prevailed.

Roll call was ordered and the vote on the demand for the resignation of Matron Striker being first taken resulted as follows:

Yeas: Abney, Albaugh, Anderson, Asprey, Baumgartner, Bickford, Brown, Butterfield, Bye, Cairns, Campbell, Carpenter, Clawson, Crawford, Curtis, Dawson, Ford, Forgrave, Free, Gulick, Haines, Hicks, Hooker, Hughes, Hunt, L. E., James, Kellogg, Krewson, Lamb, McDermott, McKray, Moravec, Morris, Neff, Nelson, Pond, Rice, Robinson, Seitzinger, Slocumb, Smith, F. W., Smith, J. B., Soper, Spillers, Tyler, Budde, Walker, Samuel, Walker, T. V., and Whitsell. Total, 49.

Nays: Anspach, Benson, Brand, H. C., Buker, Cain, Cornish, Crossman, Cutting, Dearborn, DeSeelhorst, Dow, Elliott, Everett, Failor, Firkins, Gray, Heiny, Huff, Hunt, Frank W., Hyatt, Jacobsen, H. F., Jefferson, Johnson, Kennedy, Kissinger, Koepf, McLaughlin, Marvin, Pilkington, Price, Secor, Shader, Sohl, Walsworth, Weir, White, Windrath, Winegar, Wissler and Younkin. Total, 40.

A roll call was then ordered on the demand for the resignation of Trustee S. A. Koch and resulted as follows:

Yeas: Abney, Albaugh, Anderson, Anspach, Asprey, Baumgartner, Benson, Bickford, Butterfield, Bye, Cairns, Campbell, Carpenter, Clawson, Crawford, Dawson, DeSeelhorst, Elliott, Firkins, Ford, Forgrave, Free, Gray, Gulick, Haines, Hicks, Hooker, Hughes, Hunt, Frank W., Hunt, L. E., Hyatt, James, Kellogg, Kennedy, Kissinger, Krewson, Lamb, McLaughlin, McDermott, McKray, Moravec, Morris, Neff, Nelson, Pilkington, Pond, Price, Rice, Robinson, Secor, Seitzinger, Shader, Slocumb, Smith, F. W., Smith, J. B., Soper, Spillers, Tyler, Budde, Walker, Samuel, Walker, T. V., Whitsell, Winegar and Younkin. Total, 64.

Nays: Brand, H. C., Brown, Buker, Cain, Cornish, Crossman, Curtis, Cutting, Dearborn, Dow, Everett, Failor, Heiny, Huff, Jacobsen, H. F., Jefferson, Johnson, Koepf, Marvin, Sohl, Walsworth, Weir White, Windrath, and Wissler. Total, 25.

Trustee S. A. Koch then presented his resignation to the Grand Lodge. The Grand Master stated that he would accept the resignation to take effect at ten o'clock P. M., December 31, 1919.

The finance committee made the following reports which, on motion, were adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the following bills for expense of Special Investigating Committee and recommend that the same be allowed and ordered paid out of the general fund of the Grand Lodge:

Guy M. Everett	\$ 42.70
H. H. Bye	28.89
F. P. Marvin	17.80
E. A. Wissler	20.73

John P. Weir----- 41.50
 J. O. Eno, shorthand reporter----- 119.84

Fraternally submitted,

F. P. Marvin,
 G. R. Ahrens,

A. C. Curtis,
 Geo. O. Free,
 Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Finance Committee, have examined the following bills and recommend that they be allowed and ordered paid out of the general fund of the Grand Lodge:

Fort Des Moines Lodge, No. 25, hall rent-----\$24.00
 D. F. Davis, Chairman Mileage and Per Diem Committee----- 18.60

Fraternally submitted,

F. P. Marvin,
 G. R. Ahrens,

A. C. Curtis,
 Geo. O. Free,
 Committee.

On motion the Grand Lodge adjourned sine die. The Grand Chaplain offered prayer and by order of the Grand Master the Deputy Grand Master declared the special session of the Grand Lodge closed.

In Friendship, Love and Truth,

Fraternally yours



Grand Secretary.

Journal of the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Iowa Seventy-third Annual Session

Keokuk, Iowa, October 20, 1920.

The Grand Lodge convened in the Odd Fellows Temple, Wednesday morning, October 20th, at nine o'clock, it being "the first Wednesday after the third Tuesday in the month of October," as by the Grand Lodge Constitution provided.

Officers Present

F. F. Rodgers	Grand Master
John R. Price	Deputy Grand Master
Lynn J. Irwin	Grand Warden
L. W. Smith	Grand Secretary
A. E. Hindorff	Grand Treasurer
W. S. Kight	Grand Representative
C. E. Alexander	Grand Representative
F. J. Alber	Grand Marshal
S. B. Bair	Grand Conductor
Jeppe Thomsen	Grand Guardian
William Hulett	Grand Herald
C. E. Behnke	Grand Messenger
R. N. Burress	Grand Chaplain
J. O. Eno	Grand Shorthand Reporter
C. E. MacCanon	Grand Reporter

Past Grand Masters Present

W. E. Harriman	L. W. Smith	O. H. Sweeney
J. S. Bellamy	D. B. Gunn	W. S. Kight
J. C. Koonz	H. C. Ring	C. E. Alexander
Z. A. Church	Stymest Stevenson	J. M. Hazlett
J. H. Henderson	H. F. Wagner	

Trustees Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes

A. C. Cherry, Cedar Rapids (Secretary) -- Term expires October, 1921
 John C. Scott, Keokuk (Chairman) ----- Term expires October, 1922

And a quorum of Representatives holding over as follows:

Dist.	Name	Dist.	Name
1	E. D. Walsworth	57	A. C. Cherry
3	J. W. Campbell	57	H. H. Bye
5	F. R. McLaughlin	57	J. C. Kennedy
7	A. D. Crawford	59	F. C. Elliot
9	Paul H. Shader	61	R. C. McKray
11	J. B. Smith	63	J. R. Morris
13	O. E. Johnson	65	Geo. O. Free
17	A. R. Cain	67	Lester Seitzinger
19	Fred Gulick	69	F. W. Smith
23	W. L. Slocumb	73	Guy L. Pond
25	Wm. Winegar	75	R. J. Spies
25	J. H. Spillers	77	J. B. Lamb
27	J. M. Gardner	77	L. Nelson
29	Harry Koepf	77	A. E. Tyler
31	John Whitsell	77	C. E. Cornish
33	C. H. Benson	77	Eugene Ford
35	G. W. Hooker	79	F. P. Marvin
37	E. A. Cairns	81	W. C. Abney
39	A. C. Curtis	85	F. L. Albaugh
41	A. E. Baumgartner	87	J. O. Anderson
43	Guy Everett	89	J. S. Forgrave
45	J. A. Cutting.	93	M. A. True
47	C. A. Jacobson	95	M. V. Secor
49	A. H. Moravec	97	Jack Asprey
51	J. L. Hicks	97	Chas. Launsbach
53	H. H. Soper	97	B. W. Pilkington
55	C. F. Buker		

Also Board of Instruction as follows:

W. W. Brunton	N. D. Smith	A. H. Estes
W. L. Blosser	R. H. Lambertson	

All present were examined by the Grand Marshal and Grand Conductor and declared entitled to seats in this Grand Lodge.

After singing "America," Past Grand Master W. S. Kight offered prayer. Then by direction of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master declared the Grand Lodge open for the transaction of business.

The Grand Master announced the following committee on credentials: Wm. Wade, Homer Kellogg, J. K. Medberry, M. V. Secor, B. W. Pilkington, J. W. Porter, Harley Miller, Geo. G. Struthers, L. Nelson and James Pearsoll.

Election of Representatives

Deputy Grand Master John R. Price presented the following report which was adopted:

Albia, Iowa, July 12, 1920.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

On the 15th day of June, 1920, the same being the third Tuesday of said month, the undersigned, John R. Price, Deputy Grand Master of Iowa, called to his assistance, J. P. Lambertson, and J. D. Devereaux, two disinterested Past Grands, residents of Albia, Iowa, and members of Monroe Lodge No. 81 in the city of the residence of the Deputy Grand Master and together they proceeded to open and canvass the vote for Representatives to the Grand Lodge in the manner following: Rejecting all ballots not mailed within six days after the first meeting night in June of the Lodge from which the return was received, all returns having been endorsed with the date it was received at the office of the Deputy Grand Master.

We entered on separate sheets for each district respectively the votes cast for each candidate so far as the returns were correctly certified to us. All irregular and incorrect returns were sent back to the proper Lodges for correction as required by the laws and the Constitution and an adjournment was taken until the 8th day of July, 1920, for final canvass. That on said 8th day of July all irregular and incorrect returns properly corrected and returned to the undersigned on and prior to said date of July 8th, were on said date duly canvassed and the candidates receiving the greater number of votes were declared elected and upon receipt of certificate, the same will be issued to each Representative elected. A list of the names of said Representatives so elected is hereto attached and made a part hereof.

Some returns were received from some districts more than six days after the first meeting night in June, hence could not be

counted under the laws, but fortunately had these returns been received in time the results of the election in those districts would not have been changed.

Only one return was received from District No. 32, together with a letter from the Secretary stating that no nomination had been made in the district as by law provided and in this return the candidate for Representative had been nominated and elected on the first meeting night in June, hence the undersigned hold the election to be illegal and no Representative elected from that district. Having in mind the desire for a full and complete representation in the Grand Lodge, we recommend that at the next annual election a special meeting be called in this district.

In conformity with the Constitution, the undersigned have furnished to the Grand Master, the Grand Secretary, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, and Chairman of the Committee on Mileage and Per Diem, verbatim copies of this report together with the correct list of the Representatives so elected.

Fraternally submitted,

John R. Price, Deputy Grand Master,

J. D. Devereaux, P. G., Monroe Lodge, No. 81.

J. P. Lambertson, P. G., Monroe Lodge, No. 81.

Representatives-elect

Dist.	Lodge		G. L.		
No.	Name	No.	Address	Occupation	Degree
2	Chas. A. Darrah	206	Corning	Painter	Yes
4	Geo. B. Johnson	510	Moravia	Auto Dealer	Yes
4	R. H. Lisetor	713	Udell	R. R. Agent	No
6	A. K. Rife	171	Shellsburg	Banker	No
(Decided by lot)					
8	J. C. Austin	492	Boone	Merchant	No
10	M. O. Fouts	142	Independence	Banker	Yes
12	Leo G. Dewey	270	Shell Rock	Rural Carrier	Yes
14	G. W. Stevens	279	Carroll	Farmer	Yes
16	S. E. Smith	680	West Branch	Farmer	Yes
18	E. A. Banister	188	Cherokee	Farmer	Yes
20	L. L. Stedwell	503	Woodburn	Mail Carrier	No
22	E. H. Sargent	75	Strawberry Point	Farmer	No
24	James Pearsoll	280	Dow City		
26	S. E. Rowe	23	Bloomfield	Banker	
28	F. M. Wheeler	525	Hopkinton	Merchant	Yes

30	H. E. Alberts	430	Lake Park	R. E. Dealer	Yes
32	No Legal Election				
34	J. E. Imus	165	Charles City	Meat Cutter	Yes
36	L. E. Halloway	93	Sidney	Contractor	Yes
38	J. C. Cook	386	Reinbeck	Farmer	No
40	C. L. Poland	62	Webster City	Lineman	Yes
42	S. I. Rutledge	100	Iowa Falls	Postmaster	Yes
44	W. B. Daniels	10	Mt. Pleasant	Assessor	Yes
44	A. R. Lynn	56	New London	Farmer	Yes
46	Otto Windrath	394	Humboldt	Merchant	Yes
48	John Keil, Jr.	148	Marengo	Ret. Merchant	Yes
50	A. B. Craven	181	Kellogg	Banker	No
52	B. V. Bridenstine	44	Iowa City	Banker	No
54	Chas. Heninger	98	Sigourney	Lawyer	Yes
56	O. L. Sohl	43	Keokuk	Dentist	Yes
58	O. P. Dotson	19	Wapello	Solicitor	Yes
60	J. K. Medberry	480	Rock Rapids	Bookkeeper	Yes
62	F. H. McKinney	175	Fremont	Ret. Merchant	Yes
64	Sam Harter	123	Marshalltown	Painter	Yes
66	C. B. Jacobs	639	Osage, R. 5	Farmer	No
68	Harley Miller	634	Avery	Merchant	Yes
70	C. G. Brown	190	West Liberty	Auto Dealer	No
72	J. D. Forbes	676	Harris	Contractor	No
74	Geo. G. Struthers	504	West Bend	Farmer	Yes
76	L. R. Wright	203	Fonda	Merchant	No
78	Zena Briggs	439	Hancock	Farmer	Yes
78	Wm. Wiese	49	Council Bluffs	Retired	Yes
80	Berdette Hersom	53	Diagonal	Postmaster	Yes
82	John Weir	37	Davenport	Lawyer	Yes
84	Geo. F. Hillmer	496	Rock Valley	Commissioner	Yes
86	J. W. Schreiner	471	Gladbrook	Manufacturer	Yes
88	Homer Kellogg	207	Creston	Fireman	Yes
90	C. D. Evans	129	Ottumwa	Banker	Yes
92	Fred Herr	92	Wellman	Ret. Farmer	Yes
94	L. L. Harmon	85	Fort Dodge	Fireman	Yes
96	Abe Pierce	143	Prosper, Minn.	Farmer	
98	W. J. Flower	561	Manly	Lumberman	No

The Grand Master announced the resignation of Representative A. C. Cherry, District No. 57, and the appointment of I. L. Newman as Representative from said district; the resignation of Representative J. O. Anderson, District No.

87, and the appointment of W. H. Kemery as Representative from said district; also the resignation of Representative S. E. Smith, District No. 16, and the appointment of C. O. Henderson as Representative from said district.

CREDENTIALS

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Credentials presented the following three reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Credentials, have examined the certificates of the Past Grands named below who have been elected Representatives from their respective districts, for a term of two years, find them regular and recommend that they be seated as Representatives, they having previously received the past official and Grand Lodge degrees:

Name	Dist.	Lodge	No.	Residence
Banister, E. A.	18	Cherokee	188	Cherokee
Bridenstine, B. V.	52	Eureka	44	Iowa City
Briggs, Zena	78	Valley	439	Hancock
Craven, A. B.	50	Tecumseh	181	Kellogg
Daniels, W. B.	44	Henry	10	Mt. Pleasant
Darrah, Chas. A.	2	Nodaway	206	Corning
Dewey, Leo. G.	12	Shell Rock	270	Shell Rock
Dotson, O. P.	58	Louisa	19	Wapello
Evans, C. D.	90	Pickwick	129	Ottumwa
Fouts, M. O.	10	Independence	142	Independence
Halloway, L. E.	36	Frontier	93	Sidney
Harmon, L. L.	94	Olive	85	Fort Dodge
Harter, Sam	64	Banner	123	Marshalltown
Heninger, Chas.	54	Sigourney	98	Sigourney
Herr, Fred	92	Wellman	92	Wellman
Hersom, Berdette	80	Goshen	53	Diagonal
Hillmer, Geo. F.	84	Rock Valley	496	Rock Valley
Imus, J. E.	34	National	165	Charles City
Johnson, George B.	4	Moravia	510	Moravia
Keil, Jr., John	48	Hebron	148	Marengo
Kellogg, Homer	88	Progress	207	Creston

McKinney, F. H.	62	Fremont	175	Fremont
Medberry, J. K.	60	Rock Rapids	480	Rock Rapids
Miller, Harley	68	Avery	634	Avery
Pearsoll, James E.	24	Globe	280	Dow City
Pierce, Abe	96	Burr Oak	143	Prosper, Minn.
Poland, C. L.	40	Elmo	62	Webster City
Rutledge, S. I.	42	Arcturus	100	Iowa Falls
Sohl, O. L.	56	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Stevens, T. W.	14	Carroll	279	Carroll
Struthers, George G.	74	Prairie Valley	504	West Bend
Weir, John P.	82	Scott	37	Davenport
Wheeler, F. M.	28	Sunset	525	Hopkington
Wiese, Wm.	78	Council Bluffs	49	Council Bluffs
Windrath, Otto	46	Springvale	394	Humboldt
Wright, L. R.	76	Fonda	203	Fonda

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. M. Wade,	Harley Miller,
J. K. Medberry,	B. W. Pilkington,
H. H. Kellogg,	L. Nelson,
M. V. Secor,	Jas. Pearsoll,
Geo. G. Struthers,	Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Credentials Committee, have examined the certificates of the Past Grands named below who have been elected Representatives to the Grand Lodge from their respective districts for a term of two years, find them regular and recommend that they receive the past official and the Grand Lodge degrees and then be seated as representatives:

Name	Dist.	Lodge	No.	Residence
Austin, J. C.	8	Connecting Link	492	Boone
Brown, C. G.	70	Liberty	190	West Liberty
Cook, J. C.	38	Reinbeck	386	Reinbeck
Flower, W. J.	98	Manly	561	Manly
Forbes, J. D.	72	Harris	676	Harris
Jacobs, C. B.	66	Little Cedar	639	Little Cedar
Lisitor, R. H.	4	Udell	713	Udell
Lynn, A. R.	44	Charity	56	New London
Rife, A. K.	6	Shellsburg	171	Shellsburg
Rowe, S. E.	26	Bloomfield	23	Bloomfield
Sargent, E. H.	22	York	75	Strawberry Point
Stedwell, L. L.	20	Woodburn	503	Woodburn

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. Vacancies having occurred in Districts Nos. 16, 30 and 77, and Past Grands C. O. Henderson, District No. 16; Frank Elliott, District No. 30, and C. C. Cook, District No. 77, having been appointed to fill said vacancies we find their credentials regular and recommend that they be seated as Representatives from their respective districts, the first two for two years, and the last one for one year.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

The Grand Marshal introduced a class of Representatives who were instructed in the Grand Lodge degree by Grand Warden Lynn J. Irwin. The Grand Master welcomed the Representatives and invited them to take seats in the Grand Lodge.

The Deputy Grand Master reported a contest in the election of Representative in District No. 86, and on motion the report was referred to the Committee on Credentials.

By direction of the Grand Master, the Grand Secretary called the roll of officers, Past Grand Masters, Representatives and committeemen and announced a quorum present.

The Grand Master called for the reading of the minutes of the last session. On motion of Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner, the reading was dispensed with and the minutes were approved as printed.

The Grand Master announced the appointment of the committees as printed in his supplemental report.

CREDENTIALS **Reports of Committee**

The Committee on Credentials presented the following three reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. Your Committee on Credentials recommend that in order to expedite the business of this Grand Body all past official and Grand Lodge degrees be conferred in some convenient place outside this Grand Lodge room.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your Credentials Committee, have examined the certificates of Past Grands Geo. A. Stow, Samuel Ward, H. A. Hils, Canton Lodge No. 44; W. J. Kennedy, Sweet Home Lodge No. 451; Wilmer Vanosdol, Plevna Lodge No. 186; John W. Crook, Scotland Lodge No. 104; A. H. Mueller, Sunbeam Lodge No. 517, and Chas. Pence, Wayland Lodge No. 531, also a request from the Grand Secretary of Missouri to the Grand Lodge of Iowa to confer the past official and Grand Lodge degrees on said Past Grands and we recommend the degrees be conferred and they be seated as visitors to this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. Your Committee on Credentials, to whom was submitted the papers in the contest of D. O. Liston, of West Irving Lodge No. 283, vs. J. W. Schreiner, of Gladbrook Lodge No. 471, in District No. 86, have had before us the papers submitted in the case, including the original returns from the various Lodges in said district, filed with the Deputy Grand Master, and by him canvassed and certificate of election issued and delivered to J. W. Schreiner, and from this procedure Brother D. O. Liston protests and files notice of contest with J. R. Price, Deputy Grand Master, who completes the record as provided by the law of the Order, by due and proper notice to J. W. Schreiner and makes the request that certified copies of the minutes of the several Lodges in said district appertaining to the election of Representative be filed with the Grand Lodge. This request we find has not been fully complied with.

We also find from the papers submitted by the various Lodges in said district that very little attention was paid to the laws of the Order pertaining to the election of Representative, or to the time of mailing the returns to the Deputy Grand Master.

From the copies of the minutes of the Lodges submitted to us, and the original returns mailed to the Deputy Grand Master and by him canvassed, which we have recanvassed, the committee are of the opinion the report of the canvassing board, composed of the Deputy

Grand Master and two Past Grands, and the issuing of the certificate to Brother J. W. Schreiner was legal and proper.

We therefore recommend that the contest be dismissed and Brother J. W. Schreiner be seated as Representative from District No. 86 for two years.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

MILEAGE AND PER DIEM

Resolution

The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem presented the following resolution which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Resolved, That seven cents per mile one way by the shortest traveled route be allowed as mileage, and that \$16.00 be paid for attendance of the entire session.

That \$4.00 be deducted for each day's absence from the session, also that \$4.00 be added for each day's attendance prior to the opening of the session of the Grand Lodge, if required by official or committee duty, provided that no such additional allowance be made if payment for such extra time and mileage has been made by the Grand Encampment.

Fraternally submitted,

D. F. Davis,

R. H. Lisetor,

J. S. Forgrave,

J. B. Smith,

G. M. Everett,

A. E. Tyler,

C. F. Buker,

M. O. Fouts,

W. B. Daniels,

O. E. Johnson,

Committee.

The reports of the Grand Officers and Trustees of the Homes, also the supplemental report of the Grand Master, were presented and distributed.

Grand Master's Report

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Greeting: In accordance with the established rules of our Order, and in pursuance of the provisions of Clause 14, Section 18, Grand Lodge Constitution, as the Executive Head of this jurisdiction, I herewith submit for your consideration a full accounting of my official acts as Grand Master during the interim of the sessions of the Grand Lodge.

I have endeavored to make this a year of achievement and any failure on my part has been error of judgment and not of the heart. I have given my entire time to the Order and have labored day and night for the best interests of our beloved Order.

In assuming the duties of Grand Master of this Grand Jurisdiction, I felt most profoundly the magnitude of the responsibilities that had come to me. When I assumed the oath of office, it was with some misgivings, because I was conscious of its duties, and responsibilities. However, having the assurance of loyal support and evidences of implicit confidence in me and my ability on every hand, I set about the duties appertaining to the office with a firm determination to "make good" and I sincerely trust that when a full consideration has been given to the year's work, this Grand Lodge will be able to say "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Today, my keenest feeling is not that of joyous pride in what I have been able to accomplish, but is rather a feeling of regret that the achievements have been so few in proportion to the opportunities presented and the hopes I had. Wherein and as far as I have been successful, I am glad. For my mistakes and failures, if any, I crave your indulgence. Whatever of success I may have attained is due to a very great extent to the untiring efforts and loyalty and co-operation of the splendid membership of this Grand Jurisdiction, and I wish to extend my sincere thanks to each of you for the loyal support accorded me this year.

On the 26th day of April last year, Odd Fellowship started on the second century of its existence. The completion of the first one hundred years as recorded is worthy of more than perfunctory observance. Our Order struggled for years against misrepresentation. It originated from the smallest of beginnings, and certainly has earned

fairly the proud distinction it now occupies as the greatest brotherhood in the world. No other organization fills such a place in our American civilization.

We have a membership now numbering two and a half millions in the world. We have disbursed millions of dollars to needy brothers, relief of distress and the care of our orphans and old and indigent members. This, indeed, is a record to be proud of but no words can adequately describe the "Characters that have been strengthened, the lives that have been made cleaner, the countless acts of brotherly friendships which have been performed, or the influence which, through such avenues, have been quietly but actively helping to mold our national life."

One of the great regrets that I shall feel when surrendering this office to my successor will be the severing of ties that have become near to me through correspondence and personal meetings. Many dear personal friendships have been formed this year and I earnestly request that you will not forget me when my office has been passed to another. I want the membership of this Grand Jurisdiction to know that the year's work has better fitted me to be of real service to the Order in the future, and I shall ever be found working for the best interests of the Order I love so dearly.

After my successor has been installed, I shall again take up my regular work and will be traveling constantly in this State. I am at your service and I trust that you will feel free to call upon me and when I can arrange my trips, will be very glad, indeed, to render any service in my power or help any Lodge desiring or needing assistance.

As most of you are aware, I resigned from a fine paying position to assume this office and as my terms draws to a close, I am more than glad that I did so. I appreciate the honor that has come to me and to my family more than I can adequately express. I believe that the Grand Lodge of Iowa is entitled to a Grand Master's full time. I feel that one of the qualifications of the office should be the requirement that he give his full and undivided time to the said office. The field of labor is so vast, the activities so numerous and so varied, the demand on both time and talent so exacting that even more than human strength and ability would be required to perform creditably all the requirements, and you have a right to demand that, as nearly as possible, all these requirements be met.

Of no small significance in the work and progress of our Order was the enforced closing of our Lodge rooms for a considerable time during a season of year when the various activities of our Lodges were just getting into full swing. On account of the fuel shortage,

a general order was promulgated by the fuel administration prohibiting meetings during the fuel crisis, and even after meetings were permitted to be resumed, many Lodges found it difficult to get back into the spirit of real active work.

Not unlike former Grand Masters, I have found some problems to wrestle with that have caused me anxious days and sleepless nights, some of which you will find herein recorded. In all cases, I have applied my very best thought, and have acted at all times without fear or favor. I have at all times endeavored to see that our laws were obeyed and when there has been an infraction thereof, and my attention was called thereto, I have investigated such cases fearlessly. I am convinced that as a rule individual members, as well as Lodges, are trying to conform to the laws of the Order and in nearly every case where the law has been violated, it has not been done intentionally, but through a lack of familiarity with the laws. After satisfying myself that such was the case, I have tempered justice with mercy, always keeping in mind the best interests of the Order.

It has, indeed, been very gratifying to me to meet personally the large number of young men that have joined the Order this year. Large classes have been initiated in many Lodges that I have visited, and these brothers are taking active part in the work. It speaks well for the future prosperity of our beloved Order.

My slogan for the year, "Ten thousand new members and no suspensions," I believe has helped to achieve the magnificent gain that has been achieved. The words of my slogan have been repeated many, many times by the membership this fiscal year, and while I did not expect to secure the gain set forth therein, I wanted to aim high, and am indeed well satisfied with the result.

Many letters are reaching my desk stating that classes are being sought for September and months to follow. This is indeed a year of opportunity and wholesale additions to our Order should be recorded. Now is the time to commence an active canvass of every community, and the individual or Lodge that fails to take advantage of this opportunity will be derelict in duty. We want additions to our membership. The community will be benefitted accordingly. Many large classes are being formed now. A letter was just received today inviting me to be present the 17th of September to witness a class of fifty receive the several degrees. I have visited this particular Lodge and explained to them that it was only a matter of educating the prospective applicant to what we were accomplishing for humanity in order to secure his application for membership.

They have tried my prescription and with excellent results. The additions from and after the first of July will be recorded in favor of my successor.

Commissions to Lecture

Margaret Schechter, President Rebekah Assembly, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Emma Miller, Vice President Rebekah Assembly, Cherokee, Iowa.

S. Elizabeth Matheney, Secretary Rebekah Assembly, Keokuk, Iowa.

Alta Striker, Mason City, Iowa.

Adair, George, Shell Rock.

Ahrens, Geo., P. G. P., Belle Plaine.

Alber, F. J., Des Moines.

Alexander, C. E., P. G. M., Des Moines.

Armstrong, Rev. A. W., Lanesboro.

Arrasmith, G. L., P. G. P., Bayard.

Balcoff, T. M., Albia.

Baldwin, W. D., Des Moines.

Beatty, F. M., Sigourney.

Bellamy, J. S., P. G. M., Knoxville.

Brown, J. B., Cedar Rapids

Burress, Rev. R. N., Belmond.

Butcher, Geo. A., G. P., Des Moines.

Cady, Geo. R., Clinton.

Calhoun, J. C., Keosauqua.

Campbell, Geo. P., P. G. P., Davis City.

Catlin, Rev. Frederick, Council Bluffs.

Chambers, Rev. Geo. R., Harlan.

Christianer, Fred, Des Moines.

Church, Z. A., P. G. M., Jefferson.

Clinton, E. B., Marshalltown.

Cornell, Seneca, Ottumwa.

Cutting, E. W., P. G. M., Decorah.

Cutting, J. A., Cresco.

Davis, D. F., Sioux City.

Davis, Rev. J. F., Lorimor.

Dorren, Rev. L. M., Sioux City.

Dunlavy, D. T., Sioux City.

Dunn, Geo. S., Sioux City.

Eldridge, Rev. A. E., Marshalltown.

Fisher, Simon, Rock Rapids.

Flint, Prof. Chas., Mt. Vernon.

Frizzell, J. W., P. G. P., Brooklyn.

Grove, J. J., Ames.

Gunn, D. B., P. G. M., Red Oak.

Hall, Gilbert, Davenport.

Hamilton, D. W., Sigourney.

Hamilton, W. H., Sigourney.

Hankins, C. B., Milton.

Harriman, W. E., P. G. M., Dubuque.

Hazlett, J. M., P. G. M., Mason City.

Henderson, J. H., P. G. M., Indianola.

Henninger, C. C., Sigourney.

Hess, Rev. Geo. A., Clinton.

Holdern, Rev. Jas. E., Newell.

Hooker, Geo. W., Hampton.

Humphrey, Rev. Thos. S., Des Moines.

Irwin, Lynn J., Logan.

Jacobs, Peter, Randolph.

James, W. H., Council Bluffs.

Jayne, Chas. E., Lone Tree.

Jones, H. H., Sumner.

Jones, N. Jasper, P. G. M., Shelby.

Kellogg, Geo. M., P. G. P., Sioux City.

Kight, Rev. W. S., P. G. M., Des Moines.

Koch, S. A., G. J. W., Mason City.	Snyder, G. L., P. G. M., Marion.
Koonz, J. C., P. G. M., Burlington.	Starr, J. P., Fairfield.
Kummer, W. C., P. G. P., Keokuk.	Staufacher, Rev. C. H., Cedar Rapids.
Lambert, E. E., P. G. P., Des Moines.	ids.
Lambertson, J. P., Albia.	Stevenson, Stymest, P. G. M., Council Bluffs.
Matheney, Rev. J. E., Greenfield.	
McGinty, J. F., P. G. P., Knowlton.	Sweeney, O. H., P. G. M., Waterloo.
Miller, Rev. J. E., Coon Rapids.	Talbott, F. A., Cedar Rapids.
Montgomery, A. A., P. G. P., Stuart.	Tandy, Rev. A. W., Mason City.
Neilson, A. J., Council Bluffs.	Tipton, Rev. Robert, Williamsburg.
O'Brien, Geo. W., Ames.	Tongue, Rev. A. W., Preston.
Paschal, C. W., Belle Plaine.	Trevvarthen, Stanley, Perry.
Peffley, J. D., St. Charles.	Tufford, W. V., P. G. M., Clinton.
Pendleton, Edmund, Sioux City.	Tuthill, J. S., Waterloo.
Peterson, A. O., P. G., Estherville.	Tuttle, E. C., Ames.
Phelps, Wm. R., Sabula.	Wagner, H. F., P. G. M., Sigourney.
Price, John R., D. G. M., Albia.	Washburn, R. A., Mason City.
Ring, H. C., P. G. M., Cedar Rapids.	Weir, John, Davenport.
Scott, John C., Keokuk.	White, L. W., P. G. M., Woodbine.
Shear, Rev. Geo. R., Ackley.	White, M. W., P. G. M., Sioux City.
Slocumb, W. L., Clinton.	Willoughby, Rev. B. A., Osage.
Smith, L. W., G. S., Des Moines.	Winter, Geo. M., Eagle Grove.
Snodgrass, Rev. R. C., Clarinda.	Wissler, E. A., Carroll.
	Yelland, W. R., Sheffield.

Commissions to Instruct

Alm, Arvill F., Ames.	Buenz, William, Battle Creek.
Bachman, R. A., Council Bluffs.	Buker, C. F., Swea City.
Baker, S. H., Des Moines.	Burdick, S. A., Moulton.
Bartlow, R. L., Des Moines.	Campbell, Geo. P., Davis City.
Bayliss, W. J., Ottumwa.	Carlile, A. C., Churdan.
Becker, Geo. L., Holly Springs.	Christianer, Fred, Des Moines.
Beech, O. E., Winterset.	Cutting, J. A., Cresco.
Berkley, B. C., Wilton Jct.	Davis, D. F., Sioux City.
Bishop, D. E., Moravia.	Dewar, H. C., Cherokee.
Bissett, A. R., Moulton.	Drake, J. P., Mt. Ayr.
Blosser, W. L., Moulton.	Duffe, F. L., Wilton Jct.
Bolinger, F. P., Afton.	Dunn, G. S., Sioux City.
Boot, Engle, Wilton Jct.	Ellis, N. A., Boone.
Brown, Jas. A. V., Eldora.	Estes, A. H., Waukee.
Brown, M. A., Cedar Falls.	Firkins, C. L., Ottumwa.
Bruns, Leo, Greene.	Garwin, T. E., Des Moines.
Brunton, W. W., Boone.	Gentry, John, Patterson.

Glad, Carl, Clear Lake.	Neal, O. F., Des Moines.
Gleason, M. F., Ottumwa.	Neff, L. J., Walnut.
Greene, A. V., Rock Rapids.	Oberholser, D., DeWitt.
Hall, Gilbert, Davenport.	Paschal, C. W., Mason City.
Hampton, J. C., Keota.	Paschal, S. C., Colfax.
Hansen, Hans, Council Bluffs.	Paulson, H. H., Clear Lake.
Hazlett, J. M., Mason City.	Price, J. R., Albia.
Hoff, Geo. W., Oskaloosa.	Richer, D. J., Des Moines.
Hooker, G. W., Hampton.	Ring, H. C., Cedar Rapids.
Hubbard, D., Booneville.	Roberson, J., Unionville.
Iverson, John, Clear Lake.	Robinson, G. T., Colfax.
James, W. H., Council Bluffs.	Rutter, S. S., Jefferson.
Jefsen, Anton, Clear Lake.	Shirley, S. V., Belle Plaine.
Jones, N. Jasper, Shelby.	Slosser, J. W., Ladora.
Knight, Frank, Greene.	Snyder, G. L., Marion.
Koonz, J. C., Burlington.	Sommers, R. D., Jefferson.
Kuhns, C. H., Sioux City.	Stenzel, W. F., Rock Rapids.
Lambertson, R. H., DeWitt.	Sturdevant, F. A., Madrid.
Landon, P. O., Des Moines.	Swayne, Marshall, Marion.
Laufert, William, Gladbrook.	Taylor, G. W., Booneville.
Leming, L. L., Des Moines.	Tillson, H. L., Boone.
Lowry, J. H., Moulton.	Toll, F. W., Kelley.
Lucas, Andy J., La Porte City.	Tuttle, E. C., Ames.
McDermott, M. J., Wilton Jct.	Wagner, H. F., Sigourney.
McMillen, Thomas, Council Bluffs.	Waldo, L. H., Boone.
Medberry, J. K., Rock Rapids.	Washburn, R. A., Mason City.
Mapel, Roy H., Washington.	Weatherby, S., Central City.
Merriam, W. A., Des Moines.	Whelan, R. L., Belle Plaine.
Mikelson, H. J., Des Moines.	Windrath, Otto, Humboldt.
Morrison, Donald A., Ames.	Worth, W. A., Sioux City.
Mueller, R. H., Hudson.	

Decisions

Several hundred questions of law and interpretations of the Constitution have been received during my term. Many of the questions only required the citing of former decisions or sections of the Constitution. Others required considerable research and thoughtful consideration. I submit for your consideration only a part of the large number received.

No. 1. *Statement*.—Some months ago, we admitted to membership in our Lodge an Italian.

Question.—Was he eligible to membership?

Answer.—Yes, Italians are not disqualified for membership in the

the Order if they are otherwise qualified.

No. 2. *Statement*.—An applicant states in his petition that on his last birthday he was thirty-four years of age. Five dollars accompanied the petition and he was duly elected. Before he was initiated, he became thirty-five years of age. Our by-laws provide \$5.00 under thirty-five and \$8.00 over thirty-five years of age.

Question.—What should he pay?

Answer.—At the time of his election to membership, the applicant was under thirty-five years of age. He should therefore only pay \$5.00 for the Initiatory Degree.

No. 3. *Statement*.—We balloted on and elected a young man last November, but before he could be initiated, he went away to school. He has now returned and is ready to take the work.

Question.—Can we legally take him in on the fee he has paid without any further action?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 4. *Question*.—Can a Lodge spend \$25.00 or \$30.00 several times during the year for refreshments and dances?

Answer.—No.

No. 5. *Question*.—When should a Financial Secretary turn over to the Lodge the Initiation Fees?

Answer.—On the same night that the candidate is elected.

No. 6. *Statement*.—A member of the Order was in the military service during the world war and his Lodge has been re-imbursed for dues paid for him to July 1st, 1919. He received his discharge and later enlisted in the regular army.

Question.—Should the Grand Lodge continue to reimburse his Lodge for his dues while serving in the regular army?

Answer.—No.

No. 7. *Statement*.—The Representative from this District was at our Lodge last meeting night and he informed us that after we had paid a brother sick benefits for one year our obligations ceased. We have a brother to whom we have been paying sick benefits continuously for three years and we would like the law on the matter.

Question.—Can we cease paying at the end of one year?

Answer.—No, unless your By-laws so provide. The Sovereign Grand Lodge has enacted legislation authorizing Grand Bodies to permit subordinate lodges to pay no sick benefits after fifty-two weeks and our Grand Lodge has so legislated. The matter then comes back to your Lodge and is purely a matter of the reading of your by-laws. If you have amended the same and they now read that bene-

fits cease at the end of fifty-two weeks, you do not have to pay after that time. If not, then the Lodge is bound to continue such payments until such by-laws have been amended in a legal way providing for the payment of benefits for one year only and not thereafter.

No. 8. *Statement.*—Three years ago, a former member of the Order made application to a Lodge now defunct and received the Initiatory Degree only. The charter of this Lodge has been surrendered.

Question.—How can he become a member of this Lodge?

Answer.—Send \$1.00 to Grand Secretary, L. W. Smith, and request a defunct certificate. If elected, your Lodge then can confer the rest of the degrees.

No. 9. *Statement.*—There are several former brothers at Promise City, six miles from here, who would like to become members of our Lodge. They had their charter taken from them some time ago.

Question.—What is the proper way for them to become members here?

Answer.—Each applicant must send \$1.00 to the Grand Secretary requesting defunct certificate. Attach the said certificate to the petition for membership. If elected, they then sign the constitution of your Lodge. This completes their full membership.

No. 10. *Statement.*—Having been treasurer for the past year and elected again for the ensuing year, I would like to know how about installing myself I am District Deputy Grand Master.

Question.—Will it be necessary to be installed again this year?

Answer.—Yes, appoint a Past Grand to install you.

No. 11. *Statement.*—Our Lodge owns valuable property. The records for several years back are conflicting as to the length of the term of the elected Trustee and in some cases do not show the election, so that it is impossible to trace a complete board of trustees from our records.

Question.—Is it necessary for the records to show that a brother elected to the office of trustee is in good standing on the books and that his bond has been duly accepted in open Lodge before he is qualified to act? This Lodge requires the Trustees to give bond.

Answer.—Yes, your records must in all cases show that the Trustees were elected as provided by law. See section 50, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 12. *Statement.*—The American Legion boys of this place are desirous of renting the I. O. O. F. hall for public dances and the brothers of our Lodge are divided in opinion as to whether we can rent the hall legally for such a purpose.

Question.—Can we rent our hall to the American Legion for public dances?

Answer.—Unless the Subordinate Lodge has passed a resolution and incorporated the same in their minutes prohibiting dancing in your Lodge room, then your trustees have a perfect right to rent the hall to the American Legion.

No. 13. *Statement.*—Our Lodge has instructed me to make the following statement: A party desires to join our Lodge. He lives nearer to three different Lodges than our own. The Lodge nearest to him is willing to waive.

Question.—Is it necessary to get the consent of the other two Lodges?

Answer.—See Section 13, Subordinate Constitution, a part of which reads: "No petition for membership either by initiation or otherwise shall be received or acted upon by this Lodge if the residence of the applicant acted upon be within less distance of any other Lodge unless the consent of the Lodge nearest the residence of the applicant accompany the application." Therefore, the answer is yes.

No. 14. *Question.*—Our Lodge would like to know if a District Deputy Grand Master has the authority to issue a dispensation for Joint Installation.

Answer.—No.

No. 15. *Question.*—Can a Past Grand install the officers at a Joint Installation?

Answer.—No, the District Deputy Grand Master must install.

No. 16. *Statement.*—We have a member of this Lodge who has proven himself to be an "Over-draft" artist. Prior to his entry into our Lodge, he worked here for almost a year and seemed to be a fine young man. His petition was presented and he was elected to membership. He tendered a check for his Initiatory which proved O. K. Later, he tendered a check for his degrees which proved no good. The treasurer did not present the check to the bank promptly for some reason, and in the meanwhile he tendered the Lodge another check for \$2.00 on dues and received a receipt. After the receipt had been issued, we found that the former check was no good. It came back marked "No funds." The \$2.00 check likewise. There are a number of other checks in this town and locality all returned marked "No funds." The \$4.00 check came back which he gave us for dues with charges on it for collection fee.

Question.—What action ought we to take against the said brother?

Answer.—Prefer charges against the said brother under Section 79, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 17. *Question*.—For how long a period is the Secretary and Treasurer elected?

Answer.—One year.

No. 18. *Statement*.—We have an application for membership in our Lodge, properly elected and all degrees paid for. We have been unfortunate in the loss of our hall by fire and are very poorly equipped for doing degree work and before we could confer the Initiatory Degree on the applicant, he moved to Nebraska.

Question.—Is there not some way whereby he could get the Initiatory and other degrees conferred on him in the town where he now lives or will it be necessary for him to come back here in order to receive the Initiatory Degree?

Answer.—No, see Section 215, Note c, Code of General Laws.

No. 19. *Question*.—If a member pays his dues in advance, does it belong to the Lodge in case the brother meets with death before the end of the term for which said dues paid him in advance?

Answer.—No, the dues paid in advance must be returned.

No. 20. *Question*.—Is it required of each candidate to commit the secret work and obligation before being advanced to the next degree?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 21. *Statement*.—Sometime ago, a party from Des Moines, Iowa, called on our Lodge and solicited aid for the Near-East Relief. We voted to make a donation of \$60.00, payable quarterly. We have made two payments as agreed, and now we find in your official communication that we cannot make this donation so we are asking you what we shall do to square ourselves.

Question.—What shall we do about our action in the matter?

Answer.—Your Lodge cannot legally use its funds for the purpose mentioned and your treasurer should be reimbursed in a sum equal to the amount donated. Again, I must advise you that only \$25.00 can be donated for any lawful purpose. See Section 167, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 22. *Statement*.—A brother who was dropped some years ago for non-payment of dues, wishes to be re-instated. The local by-laws state that he must pay the initiate fee of the age that he has attained which is \$8.00 and one year's dues.

Question.—Does the fee of \$8.00 pay for one year's dues in advance

Answer.—No, the \$8.00 re-instates the brother. Dues commence on the night of re-instatement.

No. 23. *Statement*.—Our Lodge has a brother who was taken to the Cherokee Insane Hospital. He is a single man.

Question.—Is he entitled to weekly benefits for the time he is in the hospital?

Answer.—See Section 30, page 16 Code of General Laws. You will allow the sick benefits weekly, said funds to remain in charge of the Lodge and to be expended solely for the comfort of the brother at Cherokee. If there appears to be no need for the expenditure of this money for his personal comfort, then you need not pay out same. In the event of his death, if this brother is single, the unexpended benefits will revert to the General Fund of your Lodge.

No. 24. *Question.*—Can a Subordinate Lodge legally use the General Fund to buy pool table, billiard table or piano?

Answer.—Yes, see Section 315, Article 1, Code General Laws.

No. 25. *Question.*—Is it necessary when a new Noble Grand is installed for him to appoint a Past Grand as Chaplain?

Answer.—No, any Third Degree member is eligible to serve as Chaplain.

No. 26. *Question.*—Can our Lodge secure a dispensation to wear our robes in a parade on July 5th?

Answer.—No.

No. 27. *Question.*—Does the Right and Left Supporter of the Noble Grand have to be a Past Grand? We have one brother who insists that they must be a Past Grand.

Answer.—No, any Third Degree member is eligible.

No. 28. *Question.*—How many nights are nominations open for Subordinate Officers?

Answer.—The last meeting night in May and November only.

No. 29. *Statement.*—A member of Grinnell Lodge, No. 358, then living at Harvey, Illinois, was reported sick on the 5th of November, 1919, and \$7.00 was enclosed to pay his dues and a funeral assessment that had been made early in 1919, thus paying his dues to January 1st, 1920. The dues at the time were \$4.00 per year, thus you will see that the brother was in arrears from July 1st, 1918. In December, 1919, there was a donation collected for the brother and the brother having the fund in charge paid the brother's dues to January 1st, 1921. On June 21st, 1920, the brother died from the same illness for which we were notified on November 5th, 1919. You will note that the brother was at the time he was reported sick in November, 1919, in arrears from July 1st, 1918, and that he never recovered from that illness but died on June 21st, 1920.

Question.—Was the brother ever entitled to sick benefits from November 5th, 1919, to the time of his death, June 21, 1920?

Answer.—No.

Question.—Was his widow entitled to funeral expenses?

Answer.—No, see section 58, Subordinate Constitution, the law in this case.

No. 30. *Question.*—We will have the Anniversary Sermon preached Sunday night, the 25th. Would it be appropriate to wear our collars? If so, will we need dispensation?

Answer.—It will be perfectly appropriate and right for your Lodge to wear their regalia Sunday night, the 25th, at your anniversary ceremony. You will find permission granted in my communication in the issue of April 15th Odd Fellow.

No. 31. *Statement.*—We have a non-beneficial member residing in California. As I understand the law, he is entitled to the privilege of visiting.

Question.—What shall I send him as a receipt in lieu of the official receipt? What is the price of same?

Answer.—A certificate for non-beneficial members. The price of same is listed as No. 8, found on page 277, 1919 Grand Lodge Journal.

No. 32. *Statement.*—A member of our Lodge was recently convicted for stealing cattle and was sent to the penitentiary for five years.

Question.—What is our duty in the matter?

Answer.—He should be expelled. See Section 96, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 33. *Statement.*—An appointive office is declared vacant. The Noble Grand appoints to fill vacancy.

Question.—Does the brother appointed have to be installed?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 34. *Question.*—Under what conditions does the Grand Lodge help a Subordinate Lodge pay off indebtedness against their temple?

Answer.—The Grand Lodge, under no circumstances, assists to pay off indebtedness against a Subordinate property while said charter is in full force and effect.

No. 35. *Question.*—If the members of our Lodge pay off the indebtedness against our temple and surrender our charter, would the property revert to the Grand Lodge?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 36. *Statement.*—We had quite a dispute in our Lodge last meeting as to whether or not we were allowed to vote on petitions collectively or whether we had to vote on them separately. We could not come to any agreement.

Question.—What is the law?

Answer.—See Section 517, Code of General Laws. "Collective ballot shall not be permitted. When more than one petition for membership shall be before any Subordinate body of the Order for action at the same time, a separate ballot shall be cast upon each petition."

No. 37. *Question.*—Does a member have to be paid three months in advance in order to be entitled to benefits?

Answer.—No, but he must be in good standing.

No. 38. *Statement.*—On February 9th, 1920, this Lodge adopted a new set of by-laws and on February 16th, you approved the same.

Question.—When do these by-laws take effect?

Answer.—Your by-laws became effective on the date I signed the same.

No. 39. On January 1st, 1920, a number of our brothers paid for a year in advance. In February, we raised our dues from \$4.00 per year to \$5.00 per year.

Question.—Should the brothers pay the extra dollar?

Answer.—Yes, the members who were paid in advance, even though they hold a receipt, must pay the difference between the new rates and the dues charged at the time the by-laws became effective.

No. 40. *Question.*—Is it lawful to declare the office of trustee vacant on account of non-attendance?

Answer.—No, you cannot declare the office of trustee vacant because of non-attendance at meetings.

No. 41. *Question.*—Can the encampment members wear their regalia when visiting Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges?

Answer.—Yes, see Section 607, Code of General Laws.

No. 42. *Question.*—Is there any special law or form for incorporating a Subordinate Lodge?

Answer.—Yes, write to Grand Secretary, L. W. Smith, requesting blanks for incorporation.

No. 43. *Statement.*—A member in good standing loses his wife by death and benefits are paid by the Lodge and the said member marries his second wife.

Question.—In case of her death, is the Lodge liable for benefits again?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 44. *Question.*—If a Subordinate Lodge desires to sell its property, must the said Subordinate Lodge secure the consent of the Grand Lodge?

Answer.—No.

No. 45. *Question.*—Would it be legal to discontinue sick benefits after one year's sickness if our by-laws are so amended?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 46. *Statement.*—On April 1, 1920, a brother paid dues to July 1, 1920.

Question.—Is the said brother entitled to the Annual Traveling Pass Word?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 47. *Statement.*—A member of our Lodge in good standing lives in another state.

Question.—Is he entitled to go to our Old Folks' Home at Mason City?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 48. *Question.*—Is it necessary for the Secretary and Treasurer who were installed in January to be installed again in July?

Answer.—No, they were elected and installed for one year.

No. 49. *Question.*—Will you grant a dispensation to close our Lodge for a period of four weeks during which time we are going to re-decorate our Lodge rooms and have them cleaned up in general?

Answer.—No, your request is illegal.

No. 50. *Question.*—After a brother has been initiated and makes application for the First Degree, do we have to use the ball ballot to elect him or not?

Answer.—No, when you voted on his petition, you elected him to all the degrees of a Subordinate Lodge.

No. 51. *Statement.*—A brother was initiated in October, 1891. He was a member of our Degree Staff for years. Later, he was dropped for non-payment of dues. He finally re-instated and transferred to another Lodge. During 1919, he served as District Deputy Grand Master. He desires a Veteran's jewel.

Question.—Is he legally entitled to the jewel?

Answer.—No, Section 614, page 295, Article A, Code of General Laws, recites: "Continuous and consecutive membership is necessary." Any other construction would defeat the purpose of an honor attached to the privilege of wearing such a jewel.

No. 52. *Question.*—When the friends and relatives of a deceased brother refuse to permit the I. O. O. F. brothers to have charge of the funeral, are we obligated to pay the funeral benefits to them?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 53. *Statement*.—A brother, our present Vice Grand and the only one eligible to Noble Grand has removed to Omaha and bought a business there. He is a splendid fellow and a good Odd Fellow. At our regular election last week, we elected him Noble Grand unanimously.

Question.—Is he eligible?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 54. *Statement*.—A brother was elected Noble Grand of this Lodge but before he was installed, went into the army. Our regularly elected Vice Grand was installed but held his station but a few meetings before going into the army. Both of these brothers are now home. At our last regular election, neither of the said brothers, though present, were elected, not having been previously nominated and they feel that they are entitled to the offices according to the war legislation.

Question.—What is the right action for the Lodge to take?

Answer.—See Decision 61, found on page 136, 1918 Grand Lodge Journal. If your Lodge acted rightly in the matter and your minutes show that the brother were excused in accordance with the provisions of the war legislation, then they are entitled to the honors of the office, but if the two brothers mentioned resigned their office or the chair was declared vacant, then they are not entitled to the honors as per this legislation.

No. 55. *Question*.—Can the Junior Past Grand be nominated and elected Recording Secretary?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 56. *Statement*.—I received a commission from you as District Deputy Grand Master and since receiving same I have moved from Iowa into Minnesota, but still hold my membership in Iowa.

Question.—Have I the right to install the officers in my District?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 57. Recently we received an application of a member for re-instatement who had been dropped for non-payment of dues. It was acted upon favorably. Along with his application for re-instatement was an application for a transfer certificate. They are organizing a new Lodge in the town where he now lives in Minnesota and he is one of the organizers.

Question.—Can we issue him a Transfer Certificate?

Answer.—No, what the brother wants is a withdrawal card and you should advise him the fee provided in your by-laws.

No. 58. *Question*.—By the unanimous vote of this Lodge, the Sec-

retary was instructed to ask you if the charter could be opened to soldier boys free for a period of six months and if not free, what favors can be allowed them?

Answer.—No, our laws do not permit one member to be admitted for any less sum than provided for in the constitution and the by-laws of your Lodge.

No. 59. *Question.*—If a brother is nominated for an elective office, and he is absent from the Lodge meeting both on the night of the nomination and election, can he be elected?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 60. *Statement.*—In the year 1916, a candidate was given the Initiatory Degree in this Lodge and never returned for the remaining three degrees until now. He has never been dropped by the Lodge.

Question.—Is it necessary to ballot upon him again?

Answer.—No, but he must pay dues from the time he was initiated. After the payment of dues to date, he is entitled to the remainder of the degrees.

No. 61. *Question.*—Have we a right to reconsider nomination of Noble Grand on regular nomination night?

Answer.—No, if nominee is eligible and qualified.

No. 62. *Question.*—How long must a brother be a member to be entitled to a Veteran Jewel and who pays for it, the Lodge or the brother who is entitled to it?

Answer.—See Section 614, Article 7. "Members of the Order in good standing and who for twenty-five years or more have been such shall be entitled to wear a jewel to be designated 'The Veteran Jewel, I. O. O. F.' The Lodge may purchase the jewel or the individual member. Send to the Grand Secretary for proper blanks to make application for the jewel."

No. 63. *Question.*—Has the Noble Grand the right to permit the members to sit in Lodge without regalia?

Answer.—No, see Section 610, Code of General Laws.

No. 64. *Question.*—What is a non-affiliate member? Is he a brother who has not taken all his degrees?

Answer.—Non-affiliate member. When a person shall have been regularly admitted to membership in the Order and shall have retained membership therein not less than five years and shall thereafter have become suspended for non-payment of dues, or shall have taken a withdrawal card and allowed it to expire without deposit, or shall have resigned his membership, or shall have been a member of a Lodge or encampment which surrendered or forfeited its charter and

shall at the date of his application, be over fifty years of age, he shall be entitled to be admitted to any Lodge or encampment upon producing the proof of his former membership required by law, as a non-beneficial member, and shall be required to pay such fees and dues as may be prescribed by the law of the jurisdiction to which his application shall be made.

No. 65. *Question*.—Is it permissible for the officers and members of our Lodge to wear badges instead of collars?

Answer.—No.

No. 66. *Question*.—If the investigating committee reports unfavorable, is it necessary and obligatory to proceed with the ballot?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 67. *Statement*.—If a member is taken sick or disabled from following his ordinary vocation or any other work, before he has been a contributing member six months.

Question.—Is he entitled to benefits after the six months' period of membership?

Answer.—Yes, see Article C., top of page 4, Code of General Laws.

No. 68. *Statement*.—We have a brother in our Lodge who got hurt about three months ago and is not able to do any work. We have paid him regular weekly benefits. He wants us to send out letters asking aid from other Lodges. He is a widower with three small children and claims to be in very poor circumstances. Our Lodge is badly in debt and it is about all we can do to keep up without making any donations. The brother seems to think that the Odd Fellows should keep him and is very insistent in his demands.

Question.—Is it permissible to send out letters to other Lodges asking for aid for the brother?

Answer.—No. You should inform the brother of his rights to place his children in the Homes at Mason City.

No. 69. *Question*.—Do we receive any back pay from the Grand Lodge for the brothers who served in the late war in regard to their dues?

Answer.—See 1917 Grand Lodge Journal, page 130, which fully answers your questions.

No. 70. *Statement*.—We are having considerable discussion in our Lodge over the new rates for admission which became effective January 1, 1920. We have several applicants that were elected in 1919, and will not have received all of the degrees until in January.

Question.—Must they pay the new fee?

Answer.—No, when a candidate is elected, your Lodge enters into a

contract with him to confer upon him all of the degrees of Odd Fellowship for a stated sum of money. Therefore, he will pay such a sum for initiation and the three degrees as your by-laws provided at the time of his election.

No. 71. *Question*.—Can a member of the Degree of Truth hold the treasurer's office when he has not held any inferior office?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 72. *Question*.—I am directed by the Lodge to ask if the Noble Grand has the authority to call a special meeting to confer a degree without a dispensation, the candidate having been previously elected at a regular meeting of this Lodge and qualified to receive the degree at the time the meeting was called.

Answer.—Yes, see Section 221, Code of General Laws; also see Sections 4 and 5, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 73. *Statement*.—The Lodge has instructed me to write you in regard to a matter of renting our I. O. O. F. hall to the K. P. Lodge to hold their meetings there.

Question.—What would you advise?

Answer.—This is a matter for your Lodge to determine. There is no reason why you should not rent your hall to the K. P. Lodge. It would show a fraternal spirit and would bring you an income.

No. 74. *Statement*.—Our Lodge voted on the admission of a candidate. The ballot box used was a new one and the balls and black cubes were old ones that were formerly used in another box and the cubes were so large that they would not pass through the opening in the ballot box. (The box had been used before but the fact of the cubes being too large had not been discovered.) One brother tried to use a cube and could not pass it through the opening. Thus he was prevented from voting. He reported the condition of the box to the Noble Grand before the result was announced but the Noble Grand paid no attention to his protest and announced the result favorable and declared the candidate elected.

Question.—Was the candidate legally elected.

Answer.—The candidate stands elected. First, for the reason that you have evidence of only the attempt of one brother to cast a black ball. Second, you cannot, because of the carelessness of the officers of your Lodge, place the rights of a petitioner in jeopardy.

No. 75. *Question*.—As Secretary, I am instructed to ask if it is permissible to send to a certain publishing company for books so that some of our members can learn the work by heart.

Answer.—No.

No. 76. *Statement.*—A brother having taken the Initiatory Degree only in another jurisdiction makes application to become a member of a Lodge in this jurisdiction ignoring the fact that he was ever affiliated with the Order. This brother received the Initiatory Degree several years ago and was supposedly dropped for non-payment of dues.

Question.—Can the Lodge where he now applies for membership legally accept and act upon this brother's application without a dismissal certificate from the Lodge in which he was formerly initiated?

Answer.—A brother who has been initiated cannot make application by initiation to another Lodge. He must re-instate in the Lodge in which he was initiated or send \$1.00 for a dismissal certificate after which he can make application to your Lodge but the dismissal certificate, or if he re-instates, must be accompanied by his official receipt.

No. 77. *Statement.*—A brother's dues were paid to July 1, 1919, and he died August 16, 1919. His relatives now present an official receipt which was not signed but had the Lodge seal on it and in a hand writing different from that of our present secretary. It may have been in the writing of a former secretary.

Question.—Is his family entitled to the death benefits?

Answer.—Yes. The unsigned receipt does not enter into the question of benefits. The fact that he was paid to July 1, and so admitted in your statement, and he died August 16th, under our law would make him in good standing. Referring to the unsigned receipt held by the relatives of the deceased, your Lodge ledger governs the standing of the member regardless of any receipt that any brother may hold.

No. 78. *Statement.*—A young brother of our Lodge went away to war and since his return has been living in another city and reports reach us that he is making his living by gambling. We have no actual proof but we do know that he has not done any work to support himself in the manner in which he is living. The police have had him up for a hold-up on a crap game. He was not found guilty. The members of our Lodge are divided as to the best methods of procedure.

Question.—What would you advise?

Answer.—As Odd Fellows, you have promised to not only look after the conduct of the brother in the Lodge room but out of it. Therefore, the first duty of your Lodge is to counsel, advise and endeavor to show him the error of his ways. This is always a duty of Odd Fellowship and will always win for the right if followed out. Failing in this, there is only one course to pursue. If the said brother continues the reputation he now enjoys and fails to take notice of your advice and kindly offices, and sufficient evidence is secured to justify the course, prefer charges for conduct unbecoming an Odd Fellow.

No. 79. *Statement.*—The insurance on our I. O. O. F. hall expired May 9, 1919. Agent A was instructed by the trustees of the Lodge to write a new policy covering the building and contents. The policy was duly delivered to the Secretary of said Lodge. A bill for the same was presented to the Lodge O. K.'d by two of the trustees. Then it was discovered that Agent B had also written a policy covering the same premises without order of the Lodge or trustees.

Question.—Which agent should the Lodge pay?

Answer.—The Subordinate trustees have general supervision of the property and funds of the Lodge and they were acting within their legal rights in ordering the insurance written. In fact, it is made obligatory by the Grand Lodge that all Lodge property be kept insured. The trustees should report their action as per Section 51 of the Subordinate Constitution. The Lodge should pay Agent A.

No. 80. *Statement.*—There has been handed to our Lodge a receipt together with a letter of facts from a Lodge in Oklahoma that a certain brother had received the Initiatory Degree only, but has paid to said Oklahoma Lodge the full fees for the remaining three degrees and also a year's dues in advance. He left there before he received the three degrees and came to our city in Iowa, and now requests that we now confer the degrees on him.

Question.—Will our Lodge have to confer the degrees on the said brother without the Oklahoma Lodge paying the local Lodge for the degree fees?

Answer.—Your Lodge should confer the three degrees on the brother as a proper courtesy to the Oklahoma Lodge but only on the written request of said Oklahoma Lodge. The degree fees as per your statement of facts have been paid to the said Oklahoma Lodge and belong to them.

No. 81. *Question.*—Is it necessary to pay any stated amount for sick benefits? Is it necessary to pay funeral benefits for a brother's wife? Is it necessary to name in the by-laws any stated amount for nurse hire?

Answer.—1. Yes, not less than \$2.00 per week for one year. 2. No, unless your by-laws so provide. 3. No, unless your Lodge wishes to provide for nurse hire.

No. 82. *Statement.*—Our present Noble Grand appointed as his finance committee the three brothers who hold office as the Trustees of our Subordinate Lodge.

Question.—Can the Trustees legally act as the Finance Committee?

Answer.—Yes, see Section 848, Code of General Laws.

No. 83. *Question*.—How long does a brother joining a Lodge by dismissal certificate have to be a contributing member before he is entitled to sick benefits?

Answer.—Six months.

No. 84. *Question*. Can Rebekah District Deputy President install the Subordinate officers?

Answer.—No.

No. 85. *Question*.—How many black balls does it require to cause the rejection of a candidate by transfer into a Subordinate or Rebekah Lodge?

Answer.—Subordinate, 2 black balls. Rebekah, 3 black balls.

No. 86. *Question*.—Has a brother the privilege to withdraw a petition after the investigating committee have signed it and it is in the hands of the Secretary and all indications are that the candidate will be black balled?

Answer.—No.

No. 87. *Statement*.—Our by-laws previous to this year provided as follows for sick benefits:

\$2.00 per week for fifty-two weeks and \$1.00 per week thereafter for the remainder of illness. Our new by-laws provide \$2.00 per week for fifty-two weeks and then all benefits cease.

We have paid a brother for fifty weeks. After two more payments making fifty-two weeks in all:

Question.—Must we then pay \$1.00 per week during the balance of the brother's illness. He is confined to his home and perhaps will be for some time.

Answer.—No, under your revised by-laws you cease paying at the end of fifty-two weeks.

No 88. *Statement*.—We have a member residing in Nebraska. He wrote us he was sick and that we owed him five weeks' sick benefits. He went to a hospital in Omaha and said that while he was on the way, someone stole all his money. When he arrived at Omaha, he called the Relief Committee and they gave him \$5.00 and in a few days gave him \$5.00 more without authority from us. When they called on him later, he had gone. The Relief Committee demanded payment of the \$10.00 from our Lodge and we paid the amount. We sent the member blanks to be filled out showing his disability but he has never returned them.

Question.—Can the \$10.00 that we paid to the Relief Committee at Omaha be charged to the member as dues?

Answer.—No, see E. A. Parker vs. Iowa Lodge, No. 324, proceedings 1898, page 193.

No. 89. *Statement.*—A brother made application to this Lodge accompanied by an unexpired withdrawal card and was elected to membership October 1, 1919. He has never presented himself to our Lodge to be admitted or to sign the constitution. His withdrawal card expired in January 1, 1920. He was injured in April, 1920, and in the hospital for some time and was compelled to use crutches a number of weeks.

Question.—To which Lodge does the brother belong and which Lodge is obligated to pay him benefits?

Answer.—The brother having failed to present himself to your Lodge or sign your constitution and the fact that his withdrawal card expired January 1, 1920, leaves him without membership in either Lodge. He is the holder of an expired withdrawal card and therefore not entitled to benefits.

No. 90. *Statement.*—A brother of a Subordinate Lodge, No. 719, moved to Davenport and made application by transfer to Davenport Lodge, No. 7. The secretary of No. 7 notified Lodge No. 719 that he had been elected and requested a transfer certificate enclosing a fee of 25c for the same. A transfer certificate was issued on January 5, 1920. The brother paid dues to No. 719 to January 1, 1920. On February 9, 1920, No. 719 was notified by letter by the secretary of No. 7 that the brother was seriously ill and that the brother was still a member of No. 719 as he had not signed the constitution of Lodge No. 7.

Question.—To which Lodge does the brother belong?

Answer.—The brother is a member of Lodge No. 719, and therefore is entitled to benefits from that Lodge.

No. 91. *Statement.*—A brother of our Lodge applied for a withdrawal card which was granted by motion and not by ball ballot. He then presented his card to a Lodge in California but was rejected on account of his age. He is now in his sixty-third year. He now wants back into our Lodge and we want to take him back as he has been a faithful member of our Lodge and has been in good standing for twenty-six years. He is not a resident of Iowa now.

Question.—How can we take him back into our Lodge?

Answer.—The action of your Lodge in granting a withdrawal card by motion instead of by ball ballot was illegal. Therefore, the brother is still a member of your Lodge.

No. 92. *Statement.*—A brother of our Lodge (Iowa) died in Minnesota. His wife passed away at the same time. The brother was orig-

inally from Denmark. Now, we have been in correspondence with Northern Lodge, No. 219, about this brother. We owe him or his estate \$84.00 sick and funeral benefits. The deceased brother leaves no other dependent relatives to receive the money.

Question.—Shall we pay the same to the Danish counsel?

Answer.—No, as the deceased left no dependent relatives to receive the benefits, you will not pay the \$84.00 or any part thereof to the Danish counsel.

No. 93. *Statement.*—Our county, last fall, voted to build a \$100,000 county hospital. The churches and other societies want to furnish rooms in the said hospital. The cause is a worthy one.

Question.—Can our Lodge use the general fund to furnish a room?

Answer.—No.

No. 94. *Question.*—Can a Lodge pay for a lunch or supper or for flowers for a funeral out of the Lodge treasury?

Answer.—No. They cannot pay for refreshments or suppers unless strictly in accordance with Section 57½, Subordinate Constitution, provided your by-laws provide for a contingent fund. Yes, the general fund may be used to provide flowers for a sick brother or for purchasing wreaths for funerals of a deceased brother. See Article (h) Section 315, Code of General Laws.

No. 95. *Question.*—Is there a uniform collar prescribed for all Lodge officers? Tell me where I can find the description of the same.

Answer.—Yes. See page 276, Section 595 to 598 inclusive, Code of General Laws.

No. 96. *Question.*—Does the law require that a Vice Grand be appointed one of the committee to examine a brother from another jurisdiction?

Answer.—No, but one of the brother appointed must be in possession of the Annual Traveling Pass Word.

No. 97. *Question.*—Brother A was re-instated. Must he sign the Constitution and be re-obligated again?

Answer.—No.

No. 98. *Question.*—If a Subordinate Lodge Trustee becomes indebted to the Lodge, does it make him ineligible to serve as Trustee?

Answer.—Yes. See Section 50, Subordinate Constitution.

No. 99. *Statement.*—An application has been received from a young man who has lost one eye. He is a blacksmith and has a good chance of losing the remaining eye. The question of bodily infirmities has been raised.

Question.—Does the fact that the applicant has lost one eye, make him ineligible?

Answer.—No.

No. 100. *Statement.*—An application was received with fee attached. The investigating committee appointed reported favorably at a succeeding meeting night. The ballot was spread and the candidate was regularly elected. The said candidate received the Initiatory Degree and made application for the First Degree. At the next meeting night he was balloted upon for the First Degree and two black balls appearing, he was rejected.

Question.—How can the candidate receive the remainder of the degrees?

Answer.—Your second ballot was illegal. The candidate was regularly elected on the first ballot to receive all of the degrees of a Subordinate Lodge. We do not vote for each degree.

No. 101. *Statement.*—A brother joined the army June 24, 1918, and was sent to Camp Dodge. He deserted and was finally found and sent to Camp Upton and in July deserted again. The father appealed to the Red Cross to look him up and they reported that his actions, aside from the fact that he had deserted, were very queer and that they were of the opinion that he was insane.

Question.—What action ought our Lodge to take?

Answer.—Get in touch with proper military authorities, ascertain whether or not this brother is a deserter or insane. The government not having tried him for desertion would indicate that they considered his mind affected.

No. 102. *Question.*—When two Lodges are consolidating, must the Lodge in whose name the consolidation will stand accept all of the members as per the ledger of the other Lodge?

Answer.—Yes.

Rebekah

No. 1. *Statement.*—Our Rebekah Lodge held a Joint Installation in January with the Subordinate Lodge. The Deputy President was present. We now want to hold a Joint Installation in July.

Question.—Is it necessary for us to have the Deputy President in July?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 2. *Statement.*—Our Rebekah Lodge elected officers on a regular election night and later found out that the election was illegal.

Question.—Has the Noble Grand the right on the next regular meeting thereafter to declare the election illegal and cause an immediate election?

Answer.—No, the Lodge must secure a dispensation to elect out of statutory time.

No. 3. *Question.*—Is it necessary for our Lodge to have a special dispensation to hold our Rebekah convention?

Answer.—No.

No. 4. *Statement.*—A former member of Quasqueton Rebekah Lodge now defunct has petitioned to become a member here. We have her application on file.

Question.—How can she become a legal member of our Lodge?

Answer.—By sending \$1.00 to the Grand Secretary requesting a defunct certificate. Said certificate shall be attached to her petition and upon favorable ballot, she shall sign the Constitution and become a legal member of your Lodge.

No. 5. *Statement.*—On our last meeting night in June, the Noble Grand overlooked the appointing of her auditing committee. We desire very much to install the first meeting night in July and will appreciate it very much if you can in some way give us the authority to appoint a committee to audit the books and make the financial report.

Question.—Can the Noble Grand appoint an auditing committee of the following named sisters (names omitted from this report) during the interim between meetings?

Answer.—While your request is irregular, the Noble Grand and Secretary having joined in this request under seal of the Lodge and the names of the committee given me, the authority as requested is hereby granted. The president of the assembly concurs with me in granting this authority.

No. 6. *Statement.*—A man and wife wish to join our Rebekah Lodge but live a mile nearer to another Rebekah Lodge. The brother is a member of our Subordinate Lodge.

Question.—How can the parties become members of our Lodge?

Answer.—By the other Lodge having jurisdiction waiving their rights and granting permission under seal of their Lodge.

No. 7. *Question.*—Who should handle and have possession of Liberty Bonds purchased by our Lodge from our general fund?

Answer.—The trustees have charge of the notes, mortgages, and bonds belonging to the Lodge. See decision at the top of page 432, 1919 Grand Lodge Journal. It is also the trustees' duty to clip and collect the interest coupons and turn the proceeds into the general fund.

No. 8. *Statement*.—I am instructed to write you for information in regard to a withdrawal card. A sister wants a withdrawal card to deposit in another Lodge and at the same time retain her residence in our city.

Question.—Can she deposit her withdrawal card in another Lodge and still live here?

Answer.—Yes, provided your Lodge under seal gives their consent and waive their rights.

No. 9. *Statement*.—At the regular election of officers, the only nominee for treasurer was not present and at the last meeting declined the nomination.

Question.—When should we nominate and elect our treasurer for the ensuing term? The Deputy President will be with us on installation night.

Answer.—See Section 874, Code of General Laws, which is self-explanatory.

No. 10. *Statement*.—In Section 33, Rebekah Constitution, the same states that a member must hold an elective or appointive office one term before they are eligible to be elected Vice Grand. Then in Section 33a just following this, it states that officers must serve a majority of the meeting nights held in that term, and then states that a member filling vacancy who is elected or appointed to fill such vacancy and serving to the end of the term is entitled to the honors of the office. Now, if a member being appointed to the office at the beginning of the term and does fill it a majority of the nights and for some reason has to move away and does not serve until the end of the term is not entitled to the honors of the office, but the one selected to fill such a vacancy and serves only a few night until the end of the term receives the honor. This seems very unfair.

Question.—If Section 33 means anything at all, why this clause in Section 33a contradicting it all? I do not understand this and others who have been members for years cannot understand it. As I am the elective Vice Grand, I am asking this question.

Answer.—There is a reason for each section of the Rebekah Constitution, and I cannot see why the meaning of Section 33 and 33a is not both correct and good. In the first place, Section 33 defines in plain language the necessary qualifications of the Noble Grand and Vice Grand; then Section 33a is necessary as you will find that we have many cases where the Noble Grand or Vice Grand neglects her office and is compelled to resign or charges are preferred and she is expelled or death causes a vacancy. Then it is surely fair that whoever is elected to fill the vacancy should be entitled to the honors of

the office even though it should only be for a few nights of the term. It is just as necessary that the Noble Grand or Vice Grand who is elected and installed in July should serve a majority of the nights and until the end of her term. The two sections do not conflict and each section is necessary in our work.

No. 11. *Statement*.—Several questions have come up in our Lodge and I have been asked to refer them to you.

Question.—Can a woman join the Rebekahs if her husband is not a member of the I. O. O. F.?

Answer.—Yes, if she has a father, brother or son who is a member in good standing in a Subordinate Lodge of the I. O. O. F.

Question.—Can a woman who has been dropped, re-instate after she has married a man who is not an Odd Fellow?

Answer.—Yes.

Question.—When the warden is taking up the pass words, if a member does not know it, should the warden instruct them?

Answer.—No, unless directed by the Noble Grand.

No. 12. *Statement*.—I am instructed to ask you to settle a dispute that has arisen in our Lodge in regard to the contingent fund. Early in the winter, four families connected with our Lodge were moving to other states and we held a party for them and gave each family a present and paid for the gifts by regular motion of the Lodge from the contingent fund.

Question.—Was our action legal? Can we pay for presents, for families moving away, from our contingent fund?

Answer.—No.

No. 13. *Statement*.—An application is on file with our Lodge of a lady who desires to become a member of our Lodge by initiation. Her character is the best, but she is deaf and dumb.

Question.—Can we elect her and if elected, how can we give her the pass word and secret work?

Answer.—No, Section 35, Code of General Laws, reads as follows: "No Lodge shall receive into its membership any person who is totally deaf, dumb or blind."

No. 14. *Statement*.—As Secretary of this Lodge, I am today in receipt of a letter from a member in good standing of our Lodge but who is out of town for a time, asking me to affix the seal of the Lodge to some stationary that she may use the same to write a business letter to a brother Odd Fellow.

Question.—Do I have the right to do as requested?

Answer.—No. Under no circumstances will you permit the seal

to be used for such purposes. Please look up and read the obligation you assumed when you were installed and instructions given you by the installing officer.

No. 15. *Statement.*—A ballot was cast for a candidate. Result unfavorable. One member asked for a re-consideration but did not state that she cast a black ball. Motion carried and re-consideration held same night.

Question.—Was our action legal?

Answer.—No.

No. 16. *Question.*—Is a widow with no member of her family belonging to the I. O. O. F. eligible to become a member?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 17. *Question.*—How far in advance does a brother or sister have to be paid to receive the annual pass word?

Answer.—No definite time, but they must be paid in advance.

No. 18. *Statement.*—Our Lodge is still using a Bohemian language ritual (January 31, 1920).

Question.—Will you grant us an extension of time so that we may continue using the same?

Answer.—No, I have not the authority. The Sovereign Grand Lodge has decreed that only American language rituals may be used.

No. 19. *Question.*—Can we take a brother into our Rebekah Lodge who has only received the Initiatory Degree in the Subordinate Lodge?

Answer.—Yes, he is eligible as soon as initiated and signed the Subordinate Constitution.

No. 20. *Question.*—Our Lodge would like to know if we can admit to membership a girl sixteen years of age?

Answer.—No, she must be eighteen years of age unless she is married and her husband is an Odd Fellow. Odd Fellow's wives are eligible regardless of age.

No. 21. *Statement.*—The question has come up in our Lodge about the contingent fund. We held a box social which netted us \$27.00 and we had previously voted to place the proceeds in our contingent fund. Some of our members contend that we cannot place the money raised in the contingent fund.

Question.—Can we legally do so?

Answer.—Yes, Rebekah funds must be expended for the specific purpose for which they were raised. You previously voted to place this money in your contingent fund. Therefore, your action is legal.

No. 22. *Statement.*—On December 16, 1919, our Rebekah Lodge

held a regular meeting, initiated nine new members and balloted upon five applications. All five were declared elected. Since the meeting, some of our members have declared their election illegal because of the fuel and light conservation order. We commenced our meeting at 7:00 p. m. due notice having been given to the membership that the meeting would open at 7:00 p. m. The ballot on the candidates was not taken until after 7:30 p. m., our regular time for opening.

Question.—Was the election of the applicants legal?

Answer.—Yes, I am surprised and pained to be informed that there are sisters or brothers in this Grand Jurisdiction who would raise the question you submit when a great national crisis confronted us namely, the fuel and light condition caused by strikes. As you did not vote until after the time for opening Lodge as prescribed in your by-laws, I hold that the action of your Lodge was legal.

No. 23. *Question.*—Does the law require that a sister Rebekah shall fill an appointive office to be eligible to be elected to the office of treasurer?

Answer.—No. Any member of the Lodge is eligible to the office of treasurer without having held an appointive office.

No. 24. *Question.*—Has a local Rebekah Lodge any right to vote their Lodge funds for Armenian relief or Near-East relief?

Answer.—No. Your Rebekah Lodge has no right to vote their Lodge funds for the Armenian relief or for any other like organization.

No. 25. *Question.*—Can the Noble Grand close the ballot when voting on an application for membership at the altar in the center of the room or should she be at her chair?

Answer.—She must close the ballot from her station and announce the result of the same from her station.

No. 26. *Question.*—Have the Trustees of a Rebekah Lodge the right to sign a lease for a hall not having been instructed by the Lodge and no action taken thereon since the said lease was signed.

Answer.—No, any written agreement including lease on a hall entered into by the Trustees of a Lodge and not ordered by the Lodge or approved by the Lodge is not binding and of no force.

No. 27. *Question.*—Does the Noble Grand of a Rebekah Lodge have entire control over the Lodge, including the Degree Staff captain?

Answer.—Yes. Article E of Section 881 as found on page 400, Code of General Laws, reads as follows:

“Power Over Degree Staff. No power resides in a Lodge to deprive the Noble Grand of his constitutional authority or to prevent him from exercising his lawful prerogatives to give instruction to a De-

gree Staff, or give a captain of a Degree Staff any authority which will deprive him of his obligated duty and right to oversee and control initiatory and degree work when the Lodge is in session or when the Degree Staff is drilling." This applies to Rebekah Lodges.

No. 28. *Question*.—Is there any law permitting Rebekah Lodges to allow the dues of brother Rebekahs who were in the service of our country?

Answer.—No provision was made by the Assembly for the paying of soldier dues.

No. 29. *Question*.—Can we admit two members by initiation who were formerly members of Lodges now defunct?

Answer.—No.

No. 30. *Question*.—Can a married lady whose husband is not an Odd Fellow join our Lodge on a membership of a stepfather who is a member in good standing?

Answer.—No.

No. 31. *Question*.—Our Lodge desires to know if they can elect a Noble Grand and Vice Grand from the floor, all qualified members and Past Noble Grands having declined the nomination.

Answer.—Yes.

No. 32. *Question*.—The only nominee for Vice Grand has failed to serve the majority of meeting nights in an appointive office. Can our Lodge elect her as Vice Grand?

Answer.—No.

No. 33. *Question*.—Has a Past Noble Grand the right to communicate the pass word to members? She persists in so doing.

Answer.—No.

No. 34. *Question*.—Can a petition for membership by withdrawal card be presented and acted upon as in the case of a member who still belongs to another Rebekah Lodge at Davenport and desires to join another Lodge in the same city.

Answer.—Yes, see Section 13 of the Rebekah Constitution.

No. 35. *Statement*.—We nominated our officers the first meeting night in November. As sometimes it is stormy weather and we cannot get out a quorum on regular nomination nights, we left nominations open that we might nominate again on election night and we have been informed that our action was illegal.

Question.—On what night should we nominate and are nominations held open and can we nominate again on election night?

Answer.—No. You can only nominate on the last meeting night in

November and must elect the first meeting night in December. Your officers are illegally nominated and you should write for dispensation to nominate and elect officers out of statutory time. Nominations are not held open and you cannot nominate on election night. (This question was received after the first regular meeting night in December of this Lodge.)

No. 36. *Statement.*—A sister and brother in good standing have moved from Wilton Junction to Davenport and desire to change their membership to Davenport Lodge.

Question.—Through what means of procedure shall we admit them to membership?

Answer.—The sister and brother having moved to Davenport means that they have changed their residence and can be admitted as members of your Lodge by transfer accompanying their application by their official receipt showing them in good standing and paying a fee of \$.25 each for a transfer certificate or they can apply for a withdrawal card and make application with the said card attached.

No. 37. *Statement.*—Our by-laws provide that we can charge fifty cents for a withdrawal card. Within the last two months, four members have withdrawn, each paying the fee. Since that time, a motion has been made and carried to amend the by-laws and charge \$1.00 for a withdrawal card. No regular resolution was presented and read three times nor has the same been sent to the Grand Master for approval.

Question.—Can we charge the applicant \$1.00 for a withdrawal card?

Answer.—No, only \$.50 should be charged. Your \$1.00 fee will not be effective until your amendment is regularly approved and signed by the Grand Master.

No. 38. *Question.*—What ceremony shall we use in admitting an applicant to membership by defunct certificate?

Answer.—Use ceremony found on page 64, Rebekah Ritual.

No. 39. *Statement.*—We have one or more brothers, members of our Rebekah Lodge, who persistently refuse to vote on petitions for membership.

Question.—Must they vote?

Answer.—Yes, unless excused by the vote of the Lodge. See Section 811, Code of General Laws.

No. 40. *Statement.*—We have a sister in our Lodge who uses profane and vulgar language in the Lodge room.

Question.—Is she worthy to be a Rebekah?

Answer.—Absolutely not! Charges should be preferred against her for conduct unbecoming a Rebekah.

No. 41. *Question.*—Define the qualifications for membership in the Rebekah branch of Odd Fellowship.

Answer.—1. Odd Fellow's wives regardless of age.

2. Any single lady having attained the age of 18, white, and of good moral character.

3. Odd Fellow's mothers, daughters, and sisters.

4. Daughter or sister being married is eligible if the brother on whose petition they apply is in good standing, and if he be deceased, but was in good standing at the time of his death.

5. Half sister is eligible but step daughter is not.

6. Adopted daughter is eligible.

No. 42. *Statement.*—Through ignorance, I suppose, we failed to elect our delegate to the Assembly on the night provided by law.

Question.—Will you issue a dispensation for us to vote on delegate at our next regular meeting?

Answer.—No. I do not have the authority.

No. 43. *Question.*—Can a Noble Grand call a special meeting for the purpose of balloting on applications? Can we vote on applications collectively?

Answer.—No.

No. 44. *Statement.*—Our Vice Grand was elected to fill vacancy and serve the five remaining regular meeting nights and to the end of the term.

Question.—Is she eligible to the office of Noble Grand?

Answer.—Yes.

No. 45. *Statement.*—Some of the Rebekahs after Lodge last night were arguing about whether Schuyler Colfax was a married man or not.

Question.—Was he a married man?

Answer.—Schuyler Colfax was married twice.

No. 46. *Statement.*—Our Vice Grand was absent nearly every meeting night. A sister was appointed to fill her station. This said sister had never held an appointive office| She has now been elected Vice Grand of our Lodge.

Question.—Is she eligible to fill said office?

Answer.—No, the fact that she was appointed by the Noble Grand to fill the Vice Grand's chair does not in any way qualify her to be

eligible to the office of Vice Grand and the further fact that she has never held an appointive office makes her ineligible.

No. 47. *Question*.—Is it proper when two or more members of the investigating committee are absent for the Noble Grand to appoint others to fill their places and report on the same night?

Answer.—No. The Noble Grand can appoint another committee but the petition must lay over until a succeeding meeting.

No. 48. *Statement*.—Some of our members persist in inviting to the Lodge parlors on the night they are to be balloted upon parties who have made application for membership.

Question.—Should this be done?

Answer.—No. It is very bad practice to invite a candidate to the parlors before the ballot has been spread. Some time this will prove very embarrassing to your Lodge.

No. 49. *Question*.—Can a sister hold the office of Trustee and Vice Grand at the same time? In other words, can she hold two elective offices?

Answer.—No. A Trustee elected to the office of Vice Grand cannot hold the office of Trustee. The office of Trustee becomes vacant at the time of election as Vice Grand. Elective officers cannot be elected to or hold the office of Trustee.

No. 50. *Statement*.—A lady of Italian birth whose husband is a member of the Subordinate Lodge located here, has made application for membership to our Rebekah Lodge?

Question.—Is she eligible?

Answer.—Yes, if not otherwise disqualified.

Dedication of New Temples

Only one temple has been dedicated this year, that of the beautiful new building erected by the LeMars Lodge, No. 255, LeMars, Iowa. The date set for this dedication was April 26, 1920, Anniversary Day. As you will recall, I was confined to my bed by illness on that date. All arrangements had been completed and inasmuch as I could not be present personally, I wondered who I could select for this important matter, and then the thought came to me that my good friend and brother, J. M. Hazlett, P. G. M., of Mason City, was initiated and received the degrees of Odd Fellowship in LeMars Lodge, and I concluded that I could pay Brother Jack no greater compliment than asking him to dedicate this beautiful temple for me. He gladly accepted my invitation, took charge of the dedication and performed his duty most creditably well and I acknowledge to Brother Hazlett my

gratitude and thanks to him for his courtesy in the matter. LeMars Lodge appreciated the fact that a former member of their Lodge was selected to dedicate the temple and letters on file in my office show how well they appreciated my selection.

Rebekah Lodges Instituted

Stockport, No. 145, Stockport, instituted January 14, 1920.

Ellsworth, No. 69, Ellsworth, instituted April 9, 1920.

Betheden, No. 85, Gruver, instituted April 27, 1920.

Cloverland, No. 178, Chelsea, Tama County, instituted May 3, 1920.

Home Charity, No. 156, Preston, Jackson County, instituted June 29, 1920.

Post, No. 48, Postville, instituted August 28, 1920.

Consolidations

Subordinate

Prosperity, No. 704, Davenport, with Scott, No. 37, Davenport, October 30, 1919.

Trenton, No. 57, Trenton, with Mystic, No. 55, Mount Pleasant, December 30, 1919.

Hope, No. 731, Gravity, with Bedford, No. 91, Bedford, February 27, 1920.

Schiller, No. 11, Dubuque, with Harmony, No. 2, Dubuque, March 5, 1920.

Elkader, No. 304, Elkader, with Itasca, No. 111, McGregor, March 15, 1920.

Caledonia, No. 293, Caledonia, with Mount Ayr, No. 169, Mount Ayr, March 30, 1920.

Olin, No. 340, Olin, with Anamosa, No. 40, Anamosa, April 2, 1920.

Sidonia, No. 393, Denison, with Denison, No. 626, Denison, April 22, 1920.

Stratford, No. 673, Stratford, with Homer, No. 522, Homer, May 15, 1920.

Botna Valley, No. 312, Manilla, with Globe, No. 280, Dow City, June 29, 1920.

Goodell, No. 535, Goodell, Hancock County, with Belmond, No. 265, Belmond, September 21, 1920.

Lawton, No. 34, Danville, with Charity, No. 56, New London, August 30, 1920.

Rebekah

Chief Logan, No. 573, Mingo, with Spring City, No. 208, Colfax, January 30, 1920.

Banquet, No. 343, New Hartford, with Happy Thought, No. 256, Cedar Falls, May 13, 1920.

Rebekah Charters Surrendered

Name	No.	Location	Date
Pleasant -----	43	Bladensburg	October 4, 1919
Bloom -----	194	Norway	August 2, 1920
Concatenation -----	296	Mt. Etna	October 14, 1919
Banner Valley -----	535	Ely	June 17, 1920

Duplicate Charters Issued

Date	Name	No.	Location
November 12, 1919	Sacred (Rebekah)	462	Homer
December 17, 1919	Chief Logan (Rebekah)	573	Mingo
December 31, 1919	Homer	522	Homer
April 30, 1920	Protection	611	Britt
June 30, 1920	Cumberland	542	Cumberland
June 30, 1920	Priscilla (Rebekah)	127	Cumberland

Dispensations

Subordinate

The following dispensations have been issued during the year:

To hold Joint-Public Installations of Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges -----	352
To Hold Public Installations, Subordinate -----	10
To elect and install officers from floor, all qualified members having declined the nomination, Rebekahs -----	1
To elect officers out of statutory time—	
Subordinate -----	39
Rebekahs -----	12
To confer degrees out of statutory time, Subordinate -----	1
To confer degrees on candidates from other Lodges, Subordinate --	2
To wear regalia in public—	
Subordinate -----	4
Rebekahs -----	1
To hold public entertainments, Subordinates -----	1

To hold special meetings—	
Subordinates -----	1
Rebekahs -----	1
To hold dances—	
Subordinates -----	3
Rebekahs -----	2
To elect officer to fill vacancy, Rebekah -----	3
To confer degrees on class, Subordinates -----	33
To move charter—	
Subordinates -----	14
Rebekahs -----	3
To elect Vice Grand from the floor, Subordinates -----	1
To install officers at a special meeting, Rebekahs -----	1

Miscellaneous

Subordinate

Garner Lodge, No. 692, Garner, Iowa. To confer first, second and third degrees on a class in hall other than their own.

Scott Lodge, No. 37, Davenport, Iowa. To take a class to Rock Island, Illinois, for the three degrees.

Manitou Lodge, No. 8, Tipton, Iowa. To nominate and elect treasurer on account of resignation.

Highland Lodge, No. 383, Ruthven, Iowa. To elect Noble Grand in accordance with Section 40.

Montefiore Lodge, No. 630, Des Moines, Iowa. To hold meetings on Tuesday instead of Wednesday until by-laws can be revised.

Eagle Lodge, No. 86, DeWitt, Iowa. To take a class of candidates to America Lodge, No. 567, of Clinton, to receive the second and third degrees.

Minerva Lodge, No. 527, Clemons, Iowa. For staff from Marshalltown to confer all degrees on class.

Commercial Lodge, No. 128, Oskaloosa, Iowa. To vote on an expelled member—James W. Taylor.

Pilot Lodge, No. 38, LeClaire, Iowa. To take a class of candidates to Port Byron, Illinois, for the First Degree.

Ankeny Star, No. 627, Ankeny, Iowa. To vote on re-instatement of expelled member—Ed. Doke.

Elmo Lodge, No. 62, Webster City, Iowa. To convene Lodge at an earlier hour on April 27th.

Greene Lodge, No. 315, Jefferson, Iowa. To take candidates to Scranton for First, Second, and Third Degrees.

Rebekahs

Lettsville Lodge, No. 168, Letts, Iowa. To initiate a candidate at a special meeting.

Leech Lodge, No. 76, Des Moines, Iowa. To hold a Valentine Masquerade Ball.

Total number of dispensations, 499.

Controversies

Many perplexing controversies have been personally dealt with during the year and all but one have been satisfactorily adjudicated and settled. I herewith outline a few of the cases handled:

A controversy having arisen, which of course caused two factions, in Tina Rebekah Lodge, No. 105, and my services in the settlement of the same having been requested, in company with Margaret Schechter, President of the Rebekah Assembly, I visited said Lodge. A more than satisfactory solution of the trouble was arrived at and harmony and good will prevail now in the said Lodge.

A more difficult solution was brought about in the case of Indianola Rebekah Lodge, No. 111. The President also accompanied me on this visit. Great credit is due her in each and every case handled in assisting to bring about a happy solution to the difficulties encountered. The trouble in this Lodge originated over the receipt of anonymous letters by several of the active members of said Lodge. The receivers of the said anonymous letters did not know the author of the same. After a careful investigation, and having discovered that we had in our own possession letters received in a similar hand-writing, we called upon the author of our letters, and secured a confession from the guilty party.

Another serious controversy adjudicated was that of Minerva Rebekah Lodge, No. 15. I was present personally in this case, accompanied by the President, and after carefully investigating all the matters and securing evidence, we proceeded to the Lodge room, got the parties together in the ante room who had been causing all the trouble, cleared away the differences and everybody concerned shook hands. We all worked our way into the Lodge room and I am happy indeed over the satisfactory settlement of this controversy.

A controversy that required a great deal of patience and diplomacy to settle was encountered in Myrah Rebekah Lodge, No. 41. I accompanied the President to Ottumwa and after many hours spent in securing facts incident to the causes of said controversy, decision was

arrived at that seemed satisfactory to all concerned and good reports have been received from said Lodge regularly since our visit.

Ruth Lodge, No. 13,

vs.

Emily Paschal

This is a case of unusual importance, not only to the Rebekah Lodge so vitally interested, but to the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa as well. I accompanied the President of the Assembly to Burlington, and we did our very best to bring about a settlement of the difficulties found there, but to no avail. Charges were preferred against the defendant above named, and the result of the trial and incidents thereto and causes for said result would require too much space to give in this report and I especially request that this case be referred to a special committee to whom all the facts, causes, letters, etc., will be given, for report to this Grand Body. I further request that the President of the Rebekah Assembly be requested to make a complete statement of the case before the committee and this Grand Lodge. The importance of the case and many things connected with it are of great importance to this Grand Lodge.

Subordinate Controversies

Maple Grove Lodge, No. 605, is vitally interested in an appeal case to come before this Grand Lodge. The said Lodge had preferred charges against a certain brother and expelled him. The defendant appealed to the District Deputy Grand Master and the D. D. G. M. found in favor of the defendant, all of which will show in the Appeals Committee report on said case. There have been filed a large number of affidavits covering procedure in this case all of which I have filed with P. G. M. Hazlett. The affidavits filed contain evidence and charges that ought to be settled by this Grand Lodge. I, therefore, request that the affidavits and letters accompanying them be referred to a special committee for proper report to the Grand Lodge. The matters requested referred to a special committee of course have no bearing on the matter before the Appeals Committee. They will determine the appeal. The matters I request cleared up are the complaints and charges incident to the trial and the procedure thereof. I will have letters connected with the matter ready to turn over to the proper committee. The incidents which took place during the evening meeting and the trial procedure as told to me were so startling that I ordered the entire matter before the Appeals Committee.

Many other cases were satisfactorily adjudicated and the Lodges have been doing splendid work since, and I feel no statement is necessary in this report concerning them.

Appeals for General Relief

Many applications have come to me requesting that certain Lodges and individuals be allowed to solicit the Subordinate Lodges of Iowa for aid. In each case, I have given the subject matter very careful consideration and investigation and in each case have refused said application, as the evidence thus secured did not warrant or justify the claims made.

Relief Granted

My predecessors in office had placed Brother John Knudson, a member of Carroll Lodge, No. 279, and W. T. Schaffer, No. 334, Clermont, as subject to and eligible to receive aid from the general relief funds. I, too, personally investigated these particular cases and issued an order authorizing the Grand Secretary to continue sending warrants during my administration, as follows to-wit:

WARRANTS ON GENERAL RELIEF FUND EACH MONTH AS FOLLOWS:

In favor of O. H. Sweeney, Waterloo, for \$6.00 for relief of John Knudson.

In favor of W. T. Schaffer, for \$15.00 for relief of Brother Schaffer, Clermont.

In favor of O. L. Sohl, for \$15.00, for relief of Sister Belle Oldenberg, Keokuk.

The Soliciting of Funds for Special Relief

The Jurisdiction of Montana requested permission to solicit the Subordinate Lodges of Iowa for money to buy seeds for farming purposes and after a careful consideration of the same, I refused the request.

I am presenting to this Grand Lodge an application for permission to solicit funds for relief of the Austrian people. Said application is made by the Grand Secretary of the Netherlands. I do not feel justified in granting the same although the permission of the Grand Sire is printed thereon and I have advised the Grand Secretary of the Netherlands that the subject matter contained in his application would be referred to this Grand Lodge session for action. The said application will be turned over by me to the committee named by the Committee on Distribution.

The Near-East or Armenian Relief Association

A former minister of the gospel living in Des Moines, Iowa, with-

out consulting this office or anyone else in authority, sent a circular letter of appeal to each and every Subordinate and Rebekah Lodge in this state. Immediately upon being advised of this letter, I informed the Lodges through the official communication that Lodge funds were "trust funds" and could not be expended or donated to the above association or cause. Notwithstanding the admonition given, and law cited, I find that hundreds of dollars have been donated to the Near-East Society. I have informed the Lodges through my official communication, a copy of each of the communications will be filed with the committee, that the funds thus donated must be returned to their treasury. In one particular instance, the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodge in one town, donated the sum of \$120.00 to this association, although the constitution specifically recites that only twenty-five dollars can be donated for a legal purpose, or cause. I feel that for the future protection of the funds of the Lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction, that some drastic action should be taken by this Grand Lodge. In my judgment, it is imperative that the treasuries of the several Lodges that have donated to this and other illegal causes, should be reimbursed equal to an amount donated.

The hundreds of dollars donated to this cause should have been expended, if expended at all, for the relief of members within our own Order. In more than one instance, I have found Lodges where it was necessary for me to go personally to secure their Grand Lodge and per capita tax who had donated from \$30.00 to \$60.00 to the Near-East Relief Association. A stop should be called in some way on these various associations circularizing our Lodges. I submit this matter for your earnest consideration.

By-Laws

We believe that a record has been established that will stand for many years to come in the number of by-laws that have been read, considered and approved by me. Three hundred and twenty-two by-laws had been approved up to August 31, 1920, and a number are on hand for consideration.

When you stop to consider that for each by-law approved, it means at least three letters must be written before they are ready to be approved as in a large per cent of the cases, even though we mailed out printed instructions calling attention to the necessity of submitting skeleton codes in duplicate, only one copy would be received by me. Of necessity, this must be returned that they might be submitted in duplicate. Specific instructions were always given by me that the Noble Grand and Recording Secretary must sign both copies and that

the seal must be put thereon and the front inside cover page filled out showing the nights voted and the votes for and against. A large per cent, as stated above, would reach this office without the signature of the Noble Grand or the Recording Secretary and many, many cases without the seal. I speak of this only to indicate the tremendous amount of correspondence that has been necessary in order to bring about the approval of these three hundred and twenty-two by-laws.

Following are the by-laws approved during the year up to August 31, 1920:

By-Laws Approved

Subordinate

Full Code: Dec. Nos. 19, 23, 33, 100, 104, 109, 119, 164, 367, 401, 416, 479, 542, 598, 622, 688, 689, 722, 725; Jan. 31, 62, 106, 135, 141, 144, 149, 176, 192, 203, 204, 211, 233, 252, 257, 292, 300, 322, 327, 365, 381, 384, 405, 431, 439, 511, 526, 556, 575, 593, 613, 662, 697; Feb. 51, 65, 68, 79, 91, 139, 154, 161, 182, 214, 217, 232, 248, 318, 326, 352, 356, 357, 369, 399, 428, 447, 453, 484, 485, 497, 557, 576, 578, 626, 634, 660, 677, 710; March 25, 40, 67, 105, 107, 140, 155, 162, 185, 190, 193, 227, 231, 299, 354, 363, 375, 378, 388, 433, 455, 463, 474, 480, 512, 531, 627, 655, 657, 664; April 26, 47, 157, 166, 187, 195, 259, 280, 282, 316, 368, 391, 401, 454, 551, 667, 670; May 87, 96, 136, 142, 188, 281, 410, 446, 459, 604, 619, 624, 684; June 10, 35, 74, 92, 130, 143, 338, 503, 584, 628, 705; July 56, 159, 248, 546, 569; Aug. 5, 9, 52, 80, 169, 206, 245, 311, 368, 426, 449, 465, 530, 537, 676, 726.

Part Code: Oct. Nos. 588; Nov. 192, 420, 628; Dec. 7, 9, 35, 37, 43, 101, 112, 123, 156, 200, 268, 330, 344, 476, 492, 505, 507, 652; Jan. 7, 116, 219, 221, 282, 315, 409, 548; Feb. 13, 18, 62, 165, 198, 207, 285, 361, 396, 421, 452, 486, 64, 529, 588, 652; Mar. 346, 498, 552, 555, 625; Apr. 236, 284, 285, 392, 616, 692, 716; May 151, 294, 435, 586, 600, 629; June 3, 76, 151, 219, 310, 493, 588; July 573; August 98, 171, 379, 608.

Rebekahs

Full Code: Nov. Nos. 112; Dec. 102; Jan. 192, 199, 219, 453; Feb. 88, 331, 563, 594; March 79, 87, 100, 112, 208, 575; April 59, 106, 125, 493, 531, 597; May 69, 103, 105, 145, 178, 375, 390, 401, 459, 487; June 12, 116, 153, 294, 474, 533, 563, 580; July 47; August 180, 198, 245, 276, 348, 376, 407.

Part Code: Dec. Nos. 439; Jan. 9, 490, 575; March 3, 191, 215; April 240, 259, 410, 484, 511, 539; May 111, 408; June 91, 282; July 2; Aug. 301, 366.

Summary

Subordinate—

Full Code	178
Part Code	76

Rebekah—

Full Code	48
Part Code	20

Total Codes Approved	322
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No Charters Surrendered

I am proud to state to this Grand Lodge that not a single Subordinate Lodge has surrendered its charter during my administration. I did not expect to be able to make this statement as in June, previous to my official communication in which I stated "Not a delinquent Lodge in Iowa," I had ordered the District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 21 to take up the charter, take possession of all property and paraphernalia, regalia, etc., as per law required, of Greenville Lodge, No. 727. The Deputy failed to comply with my order. I made a special trip to Greenville recently and am happy, indeed, to inform you that I reorganized said Lodge, held an election of Lodge officers, caused the same to be installed by the same Deputy and made out reports for the four terms they were delinquent; secured a draft for the per capita tax in full for all of the terms and the morning following, secured a number of applications of fine young business men of Greenville by initiation. My judgment is that Greenville Lodge, No. 727, will prosper and grow in the future. This is one instance in which a Deputy failing to perform his duty worked for good, and as a consequence, I am able to say to this Grand Body "Not a Subordinate Lodge charter surrendered this year."

Delinquent Lodges

By referring to page 53, of the 1919 Grand Lodge Journal, subject "Delinquent Lodges," you will note that at the time of my installation as Grand Master, I inherited a large number of delinquent Lodges. It is my pleasure to inform the Grand Lodge of Iowa that each of said delinquent Lodges were brought back into fellowship and fraternity and in many of them, classes have been held and they are growing and prospering.

Before the close of the fiscal year, namely, August 31, 1920, the

report and per capita tax from every Lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction had been secured, and I am certainly proud to be able to say "Not a delinquent Lodge in this Jurisdiction." By referring to the Grand Lodge journals for many years in the past, you will note many delinquent Lodges shown and so we ought to be exceedingly proud that this year we have none. To the Representatives, District Deputy Grand Masters, Grand Secretary and the many brothers who co-operated so loyally with me in the campaign against delinquent Lodges much credit is due and I thank each and everyone that assisted me in any way in securing the reports and per capita tax.

Vacancies

S. A. Koch, of Mason City, Orphans' Home Trustee, resigned; E. W. Cutting, P. G. M., Decorah, appointed to fill vacancy.

George Adair, of Shell Rock, Orphans' Home Trustee, resigned; A. C. Cherry, Representative, Cedar Rapids, appointed to fill vacancy.

A. C. Cherry, Chairman Orphans' Home Committee, resigned; Otto Windrath, Representative, Humboldt, appointed to fill vacancy.

A. O. Moler, Member Board of Instruction, resigned; A. H. Estes, of Waukee, appointed to fill vacancy.

George P. Campbell, P. G. P., of Davis City, resigned; W. L. Blosser, of Moulton, appointed to fill vacancy.

Office of Outside Grand Reporter declared vacant by me. C. E. McCannon, of Des Moines, appointed to fill vacancy.

Vacancies occurring in office of D. D. G. M. were filled as follows:

District No. 1: C. A. Reynolds, Greenfield, resigned; J. C. Griffith, Fontanelle, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 9: A. A. Sickles, Jamesville, resigned; A. R. Byram, Waverly, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 18: E. J. Nickerson, Cleghorn, resigned; M. E. Goodrich, Cleghorn, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 25: William Buckman, Adel, resigned; A. H. Estes, Waukee, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 30: Frank Ewing, Milford, resigned; F. R. Dowden, Spirit Lake, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 64: George C. Morey, Liscomb, commission recalled; E. B. Clinton, Marshalltown, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 68: E. G. Bates, Avery, resigned; Harley Miller, Avery, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 77: Ben Wilcox, Special Deputy, Des Moines, resigned; C. T. Mason, Pleasantville, appointed.

District No. 84: H. Rombaugh, Hull, resigned; Charles Beckman, Hull, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 87: A. L. Bivens, Lenox, resigned; W. B. Ambrose, Lenox, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 90: Harry L. Hammond, Eldon, resigned; Frank Avery, Agency, appointed to fill vacancy.

District No. 94: Emery E. Smith, Fort Dodge, commission recalled; L. L. Harmon, Fort Dodge, appointed.

District Deputy Grand Masters

In many instances, special mention should be made of the splendid services rendered by the District Deputy Grand Masters. Many were prompt to answer letters, quick to execute orders, and were ever ready to work for the Order. A few were careless along these lines, and in just a few cases, I was compelled to call upon brothers not holding office of any kind to get the results desired.

I wish to thank those deputies who were ever ready to render service and also for the many kindnesses and courtesies extended to me.

District Deputy Grand Masters' Reports

Out of the ninety-nine districts in the Jurisdiction of Iowa, the following District Deputy Grand Masters have made reports certifying that they have installed all the Lodges in their respective districts at least once and that in nearly all districts, the Lodges are prospering and doing a great deal of work. Nearly all of the District Deputy Grand Masters' report that the new Joint-Installation ceremony is the best ever. Herewith follows the number of the districts and the name of the District Deputy Grand Master who has made report:

- District No. 1—J. C. Griffith
- District No. 3—A. J. Phillips
- District No. 4—E. A. Walker
- District No. 6—George Schnoor
- District No. 7—William McFarlane
- District No. 8—George Cline
- District No. 11—George M. Gilliland
- District No. 15—Chris O. Christiansen
- District No. 16—C. F. Simmermaker

District No. 17—R. A. Campbell
District No. 18—M. E. Goodrich
District No. 20—A. R. Bishop
District No. 21—O. R. Tomas
District No. 22—P. M. Elort
District No. 23—Albert E. Hubbard
District No. 25—A. H. Estes
District No. 27—Roy Wood
District No. 28—E. J. Mittlestodt
District No. 29—James H. Johnson
District No. 31—Carl A. E. Dieterich
District No. 33—M. W. Shepard
District No. 34—J. W. Kennedy
District No. 37—Harry Schoppe
District No. 40—J. K. Fear
District No. 42—Ben S. Morgan
District No. 43—B. B. Jones
District No. 44—John Short
District No. 45—E. A. Church
District No. 47—W. H. Eells
District No. 48—Harry Morrison
District No. 50—C. L. Chipps
District No. 51—B. H. Elliot
District No. 52—John O. Browning
District No. 54—Russell Jarvis
District No. 55—Louis J. Speicher
District No. 56—J. H. Vermazen
District No. 57—E. S. Wetherbee
District No. 58—W. G. Roberts
District No. 59—Leo Clark
District No. 60—J. H. Frink
District No. 61—O. E. Beech
District No. 62—A. S. Pringle
District No. 63—L. E. Park.
District No. 64—E. B. Clinton
District No. 65—J. R. Graham
District No. 67—A. P. Folck
District No. 68—Harley Miller
District No. 70—F. L. Duffe
District No. 73—Arthur Lines
District No. 76—C. C. Lucas
District No. 77—A. J. Henkle
District No. 79—John Jantzen
District No. 81—Ben Barsen

District No. 85—J. S. Bunker
District No. 86—Dan Leston
District No. 87—W. B. Ambrose
District No. 88—E. L. Terry
District No. 89—J. C. Calhoun
District No. 90—Frank Avery
District No. 91—B. W. Stokesbury
District No. 92—E. L. McFadden
District No. 93—A. E. Wymer
District No. 94—L. L. Harmon
District No. 97—C. C. Quisenberry
District No. 99—Art Rice

Special District Deputy Grand Masters

District No. 77—C. T. Mason
District No. 97—C. F. Cooch

Official Letter to District Deputy Grand Masters No. 4

Of the several communications sent to the District Deputy Grand Masters, I am only recording one in this report to show you that I have performed my duty in this direction:

Ames, Iowa, June 23, 1920.

My Dear Brother:—

The record for the first term of 1920 has been written and it is a record that we may all well feel proud of. Not only has the biggest gain in membership of any previous year been attained, but we have established a still greater record that will make those who will follow us in office strive hard to keep pace with and that record is the fact that today we do not have a delinquent lodge in this jurisdiction. This is a wonderful achievement, and I thank you for your hearty co-operation and constant attention to the best interests of the order. It is almost time again for installation of officers for the last half of 1920, and again I am asking you to keep the record that you have established, untarnished. Let us demonstrate that the record for the first half of 1920 was no accident, but a preconcerted move in which we all worked in unison to attain results.

Your duties are clearly defined in Section 26, Grand Lodge Constitution. If you are not in possession of a copy of the Grand Lodge Constitution, write at once to L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary, 615 Locust street, Des Moines, Iowa. You are entitled to a copy. Read sections 35, 36, 37 and 125, Constitution of Subordinate Lodges, where again

your duties are plainly stated. Also read standing resolution No. 45, as found on page 59, Grand Lodge Constitution, which states, as a part of the Grand Master's instructions to D. D. G. M., that each Deputy is required to report every lodge in his District as having its Treasurer bonded, and its PROPERTY INSURED, and No Installation of Officers Shall Be Had until the D. D. G. M. has fully satisfied himself that each of said requirements have been met. Also read Resolution No. 14, Page 52, Grand Lodge Constitution.

Several Odd Fellows Temples have burned during the first half of 1920. Let it not be said of you that they had no insurance when the fire occurred for it is your duty to see and report that they are fully insured.

When you have concluded your installations, make me a brief report of your year's work in your own way. The Grand Lodge does not furnish blanks for this purpose. Just write me a letter giving a brief history of each lodge in your District and conditions of each lodge during your stewardship.

Now, Brother Deputies, "Let's go." Keep the record clear that you have made; organize auto trains from your lodge, and send at least one auto loaded with enthusiastic Odd Fellows to each lodge in your District the first meeting night in July. Instruct them to see that the Grand Lodge report is made out and a warrant for the Per Capita tax drawn and presented to you. Fail not, Falter not, in well doing, for therein all the honor lies. Do not "Even hesitate until you know that your District is ONE HUNDRED PER CENT."

Drop me a letter just as soon as your District is 100% and I will make report to the Grand Lodge according to the position you draw as reports are received. Who will be the first one over the top?

I enclose herewith S. A. P. Do Not Communicate S. A. P. to the Noble Grand of any Lodge until you until you have their report and per capita tax in your hands.

"We must sow the seed and tend the growth if we would enjoy the growth."

Fraternally yours,

F. F. RODGERS, Grand Master.

Anniversary Proclamations

**GRAND LODGE OF IOWA, I. O. O. F.,
Office of Grand Master.**

To all Subordinate Lodges of the Jurisdiction of Iowa:

What a special privilege has been accorded us, that of starting this great organization on its journey of the second century. It is the

wish of your Grand Master that every Lodge in this jurisdiction will either celebrate this anniversary with a program appropriate for the momentous occasion, or join with another Lodge in celebrating.

One hundred and one years ago, Wildey and the four loyal brothers, on the 26th of April, organized the first American Lodge of Odd Fellows. One hundred and one years ago, American Odd Fellowship was but a little candle throwing its beams into the darkness. Today it is a light rearing itself upon the seas of the world and flashing promises of hope and safety over the angry waters. One hundred years ago, but a germ; today, a harvest for millions; one hundred years ago uncertain of surviving the voices of the devotees preaching its doctrine; today, it gives indubitable evidence that, in its electric spread, all nations of men are to come under its influence while they enshrine its essence upon every household altar.

Permission is hereby granted to use the name and regalia of the Order in connection with the one hundred and first anniversary occasion.

F. F. RODGERS, Grand Master.

April 11, 1920.

Attest:

L. W. SMITH, Grand Secretary.

Memorial Day Proclamation

Sovereign Grand Lodge of Iowa, I. O. O. F.,
Office of Grand Sire.

To the Officers and Members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

We have celebrated the closing of one century of Odd Fellowship and enter upon another with the confidence that follows successful effort. Many of our brethren were not permitted to come to this auspicious era in this fraternity. They stopped by the wayside, and the simple mounds tell the story of where they lie awaiting resurrection day. The book of life to them is closed, but the record they made lives after them, for

“The dead are sceptered sovereign, who still rule
Our spirits from their urns.”

Each in life bore well his part, and now that his day is gone, his sun is set, we should treasure his memory. Therefore, following the custom which prevails in our Order,

I, Henry V. Borst, Grand Sire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, do hereby earnestly request all Subordinate Lodges to hold

appropriate memorial services on Tuesday, June 8, 1920, or, if any other day be more convenient for any jurisdiction, the Grand Master thereof may name such other day in his proclamation.

The long roll of the dead from each of your Lodges should be called on that day.

Done at the City of Amsterdam, in the State of New York, U. S. A., **this 8th day of April, 1920, and of our Order the one hundred and first.**

(Seal)

HENRY V. BORST, Grand Sire.

Attest:

JOHN B. GOODWIN, Grand Secretary.

GRAND LODGE OF THE STATE OF IOWA,
Office of Grand Master.

Ames, Iowa, May 10, 1920.

To all Subordinate Lodges of the Jurisdiction of Iowa:

Each Lodge in this State is requested to comply with the foregoing Memorial Day Proclamation. Brothers, it is fitting and proper that we should pause and pay a tribute of respect to the brothers who have passed on before. Do you remember that many of the brothers who assisted to confer degrees upon you, perhaps, delivered a touching lecture, are missing from roll call this year? You appreciated their lives and perhaps you never told them so, so let us stop and by appropriate exercises, renew the memories of those who have gone on before. We will be better Odd Fellows if we will pause on this Memorial Day and spend an hour in tenderly remembering the good deeds and loving kindnesses of these brothers who rendered a life of service to Odd Fellowship. It is the duty of every Odd Fellow and Rebekah in Iowa to take part in a Memorial service. You do not know and I do not know who will be next. You may be absent when roll is called next year. Some brother will place a flower on your grave if you are the one called. Should you not then, my brother and sister, do your full measure of duty this year? "Man is prone to selfishness and thus to live for himself alone." Let us highly resolve to completely sever ourselves from any thought of selfishness; let us resolve to do all in our power for those around us; let us promise and agree to visit the families of our deceased brothers. Let us ask if there is anything we can do for them, and if there is, do it in the spirit of Friendship, Love and Truth."

Now, I, Frank F. Rodgers, Grand Master of Iowa, do hereby designate Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1920, as Memorial Day. However,

should any lodge find another day near thereto more convenient, then such date may be observed.

Permission is hereby given to wear regalia at such occasion without further dispensation therefor.

“Blest is he, forever blest,
Who patient sows where others reap;
And ever-ripening fields shall best
His ever-growing memory keep.”

Done at Ames, Iowa, May 10, 1920.

FRANK F. RODGERS, Grand Master

Attest:

L. W. SMITH, Grand Secretary.

Call for Special Session

Ames, Iowa, November 29, 1919.

To the Grand Lodge Officers, Representatives and Past Grand Masters:

In accordance with the instructions of the Grand Lodge at the Ames session, I hereby call a special session of the Grand Lodge to be held in the Odd Fellows Temple in the City of Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, the 30th day of December, 1919, at nine o'clock A. M.

The business to be transacted shall be that of considering the report of the special committee appointed to investigate the complaint in regard to the management of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes, located at Mason City, and all matters germane thereto or growing out of same, and to provide for the payment of the expenses incurred by said committee and the holding of this special session, and for no other purpose.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused to be affixed the seal of the Grand Lodge at Ames, Iowa, this 29th day of November, 1919.

(Seal)

F. F. RODGERS, Grand Master.

Attest:

L. W. SMITH, Grand Secretary.

Pursuant to a motion unanimously adopted at the Grand Lodge session held at Ames, Iowa, and in accordance with the provisions contained therein, all of which will be found recorded on page 202 of the 1919 Grand Lodge Journal, immediately upon being advised that the Special Committee mentioned therein and appointed for the purpose of collecting evidence with reference to complaints against the man-

agement of the Homes at Mason City had completed their task and fully performed their duty and were ready to report, I called a Special Session of the Grand Lodge to convene in the hall of Fort Des Moines Lodge, Des Moines, Iowa, December 30, 1919. The call for this Special Session is found above. The Grand Secretary will set forth a complete record of said Special Session in his report.

In order to clear away some misunderstanding with reference to the calling of this Special Session, I wish to emphasize that the calling of same was not left to the pleasure and judgment of the Grand Master; but, on the contrary, was made obligatory on him to call the same. A careful reading of the said motion will show those interested that the motion was unanimously adopted by the Representatives at the session at Ames. I trust that those who have thought that it was unnecessary to call this session will carefully read the said motion and thus be enlightened to the fact that the calling of this session was mandatory on me.

Special Sessions

Many Special Sessions have been called this year. At each Special Session, a School of Instruction has been held. A great interest has been manifest everywhere and I feel certain that much good has resulted from said schools and sessions.

The Past Grands appreciate the fact that they can receive the Grand Lodge and Past Official Degrees without traveling long distances to receive them. At the Special Sessions thus held, many brothers from surrounding Lodges have been present.

A Grand Master, by the aid of the sessions comes in contact with hundreds that he would not otherwise meet. I believe that the sessions are a great force for good in the Order.

I have held nineteen Special Sessions so far during my administration and I have several yet before Grand Lodge. For location, name and number receiving degrees and date of said sessions, see Grand Secretary's report.

Official Visits

I have made 205 visits up to September first and have dates promised for twenty-seven more visits before our Grand Lodge session.

This has meant much traveling and many sleepless nights and there have been times when I held as high as eight meetings in one week. Two different weeks, there were three nights in each week that I was up all night, and a number of weeks when I did not see a bed for one and two nights in the week.

Everywhere, I have been received with the utmost courtesy and kindness. I have enjoyed these visits more than I can express and trust that I have accomplished something for the Order during my year.

Correspondence

On account of the Special Session held at Des Moines, Iowa, and the many rumors that were afloat concerning the Homes and the fact that the membership of this State was awakened and have worked for the best interests of the Order as never before, the correspondence this year has been enormous.

I have answered every letter that has come to my desk whether it was under the seal of the Lodge or from an individual member and on account of the large number of official visits that I have made, every Sunday since I have been installed and the evenings that I have been privileged to be home, have been spent entirely in dictating letters and answering mail. There has been some delay once in a while for I have, perhaps, received a hundred letters that were addressed to me as Grand Master at Des Moines, Iowa, and several that have been addressed to me at Mason City, and no doubt, a few of the brothers and sisters who have failed to receive answers, have mailed them to other points.

Over twelve thousand letters have been mailed from this office during my term and there remains seven weeks of my administration, and I shall feel lost, indeed, when I do not have this correspondence constantly on my mind.

In the main, the handling of this large amount of correspondence has been a pleasure.

Invitation to Patriarchs Militant

Having in mind the splendid support and co-operation of the Rebekah Assembly Officers of Iowa, I invited Sister Margaret Schechter, President of the Rebekah Assembly, to join me in a joint letter of invitation to the Patriarchs Militant. The invitation follows:

Clear Lake, Iowa, July 29, 1920.

Major-General A. O. Peterson,
Patriarchs Militant Park,
Clear Lake, Iowa.

Dear General: The Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. of Iowa, and the President of the Rebekah Assembly,

I. O. O. F. of Iowa, fully appreciate the invaluable worth of the Patriarchs Militant of the Department of Iowa not only in the upbuilding of their own branch of the Order, but we find them always actively engaged in furthering the best interests, and heartily co-operating at all time with all branches of the Order in maintaining the high standing that Odd Fellowship has attained in this Grand Jurisdiction.

We desire at this time to thank you and express our sincere appreciation for the consistent and untiring efforts of the Patriarchs Militant for their splendid assistance.

We wish to thank General Peterson for his very kind invitation to the President and the Grand Master to attend this session of the Department Council.

We congratulate the Department Council of Iowa on having taken the initiative and occupying the proud position of being the only Department that own their own Home. We are proud of the fact that our Department stands first. The beautiful building and the land owned by this Department have and will always prove an inspiration to Odd Fellowship in Iowa.

We also desire to thank General Peterson for his thoughtfulness in requesting us to extend a general invitation to the membership of the several branches of our Order and it has been our pleasure to extend this invitation at the various meetings that we have attended.

We realize that a Grand Lodge Parade would not be complete without the dignity and beauty of the brilliant uniforms of the Patriarchs Militant, and it is our desire and wish that the Uniform Rank occupy the position of honor and leadership of the parade this year.

Now, therefore, we, Frank F. Rodgers and Margaret Schechter, Grand Master and President respectively of Iowa, extend to the Patriarchs Militant of Iowa, a hearty and cordial invitation to not only lead, but take full charge of the Grand Lodge parade this year.

The close relationship and the fact that the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly of Iowa are one big family prompts us to establish the precedent of making and extending this joint invitation.

With best wishes,

Fraternally and chivalrously,

F. F. RODGERS, Grand Master,
Grand Lodge of Iowa.

MARGARET SCHECHTER, President,
Rebekah Assembly.

Our Homes at Mason City

I have said many times in my addresses this year and through my official communications that it was my wish and great desire that each Lodge in this Jurisdiction would select some one member of the Lodge or members thereof and instruct them to visit the Homes at Mason City and make a report of their findings there. Many Lodges have followed this suggestion and it has proven an inspiration to the Lodges that have done so.

I have visited the Homes one or more times each month during my administration and have spent many pleasant and profitable hours there. Odd Fellowship is surely doing a wonderful work in maintaining these Homes, caring for the Orphan children, clothing and feeding them, educating and bringing them up in an atmosphere and environment that will make of them splendid types of American manhood and womanhood.

When we pause to consider that we have a number of innocent little babes only a few months old that God only knows what might have been their fate, were it not for the protecting arm of Odd Fellowship and then comes to us the realization that Odd Fellowship has prepared for those babes and were it possible for you to see them as they are carefully nursed in that beautiful Grace Lewis Memorial Nursery, and then to consider that they will be carefully raised from babes a few months old to splendid young men and young women under the guiding hand and protection of this, the greatest of all Orders, is it not, after all, worth while?

Then I ask you to consider for a moment the old and indigent brothers and sisters of our Order who are housed in the Home so thoughtfully provided for them. My brothers, you have made their last declining days, days of joy. Peace and contentment is written on their faces. They are well clothed and the best of food is provided for them, entertainment and recreation is furnished and it is a pleasure to hear them tell of the wonders of Odd Fellowship.

New Superintendent of the Homes

As provided by resolution adopted at the Special Session held in Des Moines on December 30, 1919, the Board of Trustees, in accordance with the provisions of said resolution, hired Brother A. W. Stubbs as Superintendent of the Homes. As a full report will be made by the Superintendent and, no doubt, by the Homes' Trustees, I will not take the space here to write further concerning this important appointment except to say that Brother Stubbs has demonstrated that he is wonder-

fully capable, highly efficient and will prove satisfactory in every way if given the opportunity, and I know he will be given this opportunity.

Boys' Dormitory

I call your attention to Resolution No. 31, reported by the Grand Lodge Finance Committee and found on page 191, of the Grand Lodge Journal, 1919 session. In the said resolution, you will note that an appropriation of \$100,000 was made, the said sum to be collected over a period of five years. A per capita tax of fifteen cents per member was levied to be collected semi-annually over said period of five years commencing January 1, 1920. By computing the number of Subordinate members, 62,998 members as per last report, and multiplying this sum by thirty, the result will be \$18,899.40 after two collections have been made, or one-fifth of the period of collection, or based upon our present membership, the five years of collection will only yield \$94,497.00 or \$5,503.00 less than the amount appropriated for said building. Consequently, a \$100,000.00 building cannot be built at the end of five years even unless a great gain in membership is made and the sums of money as collected for the building of said dormitory are placed on interest.

The same committee, namely, the Grand Lodge Finance Committee, in Report No. 47, found on page 196, 1919 Journal, appointed a building committee composed of J. M. Hazlett, P. G. M., and the members of the Board of Trustees of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes.

No authorization or authority of any kind or character was given the Grand Master or the Grand Secretary to draw warrants on the said building fund, nor were we authorized to borrow sums of money to make up the deficit existing between the sum now on hand, namely, approximately \$19,000 which would leave a sum not raised of approximately \$81,000 and it is very evident that a \$100,000 building could not be constructed with the sum now on hand.

After careful and diligent consideration of the above subject, and reaching a conclusion that I had no legal right to make an order on the money now in the hands of the Grand Treasurer and possessing no authority to borrow sums of money to finance the building, and taking counsel from brothers who occupy the highest standing in the legal profession, I rendered a decision that the money now on hand could not be used and consequently, the building has not been erected.

I believe that it is well for this Grand Lodge to delay the building of the Boys' Dormitory until such time as the entire sum appropriated has been fully collected. Again, building material of all kinds is at the highest point in the history of our nation. No one has suffered

on account of the delay as we have ample room for all. I submit the further consideration of this matter to the Grand Lodge in session.

Expense Account

On account of the large number of visits made and the tremendous volume of correspondence, I have exceeded my expense account several hundred dollars. I did this knowingly, and for the good of the Order and not with any thought, on my part, of being reimbursed for the amount. The Grand Lodge of Iowa does not owe me one cent. A complete itemized statement of every cent expended by me of said expense money has been filed with the Grand Secretary. A detailed and complete itemized statement will be filed with the Grand Lodge Finance Committee and will be printed in the proceedings of the Journal. I shall not, therefore, take space to enumerate the amounts here.

Election of Grand Lodge Officers

Pursuant to change in law making it obligatory for the Grand Master instead of the Grand Secretary to count the returns for the election of Grand Lodge officers, I beg to report that that duty was performed by me, and a detailed report, together with the names of the Past Grands who assisted me, is herewith presented for the consideration of this Grand Lodge.

I desire to call your attention that in making a change in our law with reference to this matter, no provision or authorization was given the Grand Master to pay for the Past Grands' service or for postage including registered notices as the law requires. I am therefore, filing with the Chairman of the Grand Lodge Finance Committee an itemized statement of the expenses incurred and as the same will appear in the Finance Committee's report, I will not present the same here except to say that in the past, the Grand Secretary issued a warrant in payment for the services of the Past Grands called to his assistance in counting the returns, etc., and I now ask this Grand Lodge to pay the amount of the itemized statements now in the hands of the Chairman of the Finance Committee and to adopt a resolution authorizing future Grand Masters to pay this expense when contracted.

Ames, Iowa, July 10, 1920.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

As provided in Clause 1 of Section 28 of the Grand Lodge Constitution, on June 22, 1920, it being the fourth Tuesday in June, the

Grand Master called to his assistance Martin C. Erickson and F. H. Schleiter, both Past Grands of Ames Lodge, No. 309, and canvassed the election returns for Grand Officers that had been received by the Grand Master, tabulating and counting such as were found to be correct, sending back thirty-eight imperfect returns for correction.

The returns from eight lodges were rejected, the vote in said eight lodges, as by the certificate dates, not having been cast "On the first meeting night in June" as by law required.

Election returns from Lodges Nos. 197, 339, 245 and 586 were received too late to be counted.

The committee met again July 10th and completed the canvass. Of the thirty-eight returns sent back for correction, thirty-three had been returned to the Grand Master and of the said thirty-three returned, four could not be counted, the secretaries having failed to make proper correction. Those found correct were added to the vote previously summarized, showing the election of the following officers:

Grand Master—J. R. Price.

Deputy Grand Master—L. J. Irwin.

Grand Warden—L. J. Neff.

Grand Secretary—L. W. Smith.

Grand Treasurer—A. E. Hindorff.

Grand Representative for one year—C. E. Alexander.

Grand Representative for two years—J. M. Hazlett.

The vote for the respective candidates is as follows:

For Grand Master—

J. R. Price, No. 81, Albia-----3,734

For Deputy Grand Master—

Lynn J. Irwin, No. 405, Logan-----3,797

For Grand Warden—

L. J. Neff, No. 327, Walnut-----897

Guy M. Butts, No. 134, Wesley-----744

W. C. Kummer, No. 13, Keokuk-----771

Jack Asprey, No. 164, Sioux City-----766

Guy L. Pond, No. 261, Shenandoah-----636

For Grand Secretary—

L. W. Smith, No. 106, Des Moines-----2,004

Will V. Tufford, No. 42, Clinton-----289

G. L. Snyder, No. 18, Marion-----407

W. S. Kight, No. 576, Des Moines-----1,120

For Grand Treasurer—

A. E. Hindorff, No. 73, Newton-----2,596

M. O. Fouts, No. 142, Independence-----	1,165
For Grand Representative for one year—	
C. E. Alexander, No. 25, Des Moines-----	3,707
For Grand Representative for two years—	
J. M. Hazlett, No. 224, Mason City-----	3,665
The record made by the committee is submitted with this report.	

Fraternally submitted

F. F. RODGERS, Grand Master.

MARTIN C. ERICKSON, P. G., Ames Lodge, No. 309.

F. H. SCHLEITER, P. G., Ames Lodge, No. 309.

Typewriter

An old Remington typewriter that could not be used nor repaired was wished on to me. The junk value of the same was \$3.00. It was necessary that I have a new typewriter and I finally secured a proposition from Brother A. A. Smith, who is in the typewriter business, in which he offered to trade me an Underwood machine and take the old Remington and pay him \$60.00 in cash difference. I made this trade and as neither the Grand Master nor Grand Secretary could legally draw a warrant for this amount, I paid the said \$60.00 out of my expense account and as I have used considerably more money than the expense allowance provided by this Grand Lodge, I leave the matter in your hands for consideration, knowing that I will receive whatever is right and equitable in the matter.

Iowa Odd Fellow

The official organ of our Order, a copy of which is paid for by the Grand Lodge and mailed to the Recording Secretary of each Subordinate Lodge, and the said Secretary is expected and supposed by law to read the official communication contained therein. I am sorry to say that I have found a number of Lodges that do not know of this law and arrangement. The official communications have never been read, this year or in past years, and no one seems to know who receives the paper.

The Iowa Odd Fellow is a force for good in our organization and I wish I could say something at this time that would cause every brother and sister in this jurisdiction to subscribe for this valuable paper. Not only are the official communications of the President and the Grand Master printed in full in each issue, but the editorials and other matters appearing therein are invaluable. This paper should

be on the library table of every Odd Fellow's home in Iowa. I recommend the continuance of this valuable paper as the official organ of this Grand Lodge.

Official Communications

I have not missed a single issue of the Official paper, the Iowa Odd Fellow. Many requests have been made that I cause to be printed in the Journal all of my communications, but on account of the abnormal cost of printing the Journal this year, I have omitted them from my report. I would be glad, indeed, if the Grand Lodge thought them of sufficient value as to cause them to be printed. This matter is left entirely to the Representatives and members of the Grand Lodge.

A great many complimentary letters have been received by me concerning my communications. One especially pleasing was received from the Grand Secretary of New Hampshire, Brother Frank L. Wray. He caused to be printed in full in the daily paper of Manchester, New Hampshire, one of my communications. Other jurisdictions have also spoken of them.

Our own jurisdiction appreciates the efforts that I have made in this direction judging from the numbers of letters received concerning them.

I can only say in connection with my communications that I have done my best and sincerely trust that they have accomplished some good for the Order.

Woodbine, Iowa, Sept. 3, 1920.

F. F. Rodgers, Grand Mster
Ames, Iowa.

Dear Brother: I deem it right to inform you that I will not be able to be present at the coming Grand Lodge session as I will leave Iowa Sept. 16th for a trip to the western coast and do not expect to return home before next spring.

I take this opportunity to notify you of my absence so that if you contemplate calling on me to fill any committee position, during the session, you may make another appointment in my place.

I expect to go first to Spokane, Washington, where my son resides and will remain there for several weeks, later going on down to California for the winter. Mrs. White will accompany me.

I very much regret my inability to be with you at Grand Lodge, especially so as this will be the first time in twenty-five years that I

have missed attending a regular session of that body. I certainly hope and expect that the session may be a pleasant one for all present and of much benefit to the Order.

With fraternal regards, I remain

Yours sincerely,

L. W. WHITE, P. G. M.

Initiation and Degree Fees

The law enacted at the last session of the Grand Lodge effected practically every Subordinate Lodge in the State with reference to the fees charged for initiation and degrees. We have endeavored through our official communications and by letter to impress the lodges with the necessity of changing their by-laws in compliance with the present law.

Quasqueton Property

The Grand Lodge of Iowa owns a two story, frame building formerly used as a lodge building by the Subordinate Lodge of Quasqueton. The charter of the said lodge was taken up by P. G. M. Hazlett and this Grand Lodge has an investment of several hundred dollars paid out for the indebtedness on said building and the best price for the sale of the same that I have been able to obtain was \$650.00 cash. I feel that this is not a sufficient amount and have therefore refused the offer, believing it best to leave the matter for the consideration of the Grand Lodge. Brother M. O. Fouts, Representative-elect, of Independence, was designated by me to look after sale of this property. He will make proper report at this session of the Grand Lodge.

Stiner Property at Eldon, Iowa

I made a personal inspection of the eighteen and fraction acres owned by this Grand Body at Eldon. The house on this property is almost worthless, the barn small and in bad condition; fences are down; land is very rough, most of it covered by underbrush and trees. A big ravine traverses this land. A public road cuts it in two and only about six or seven acres, in patches, can be farmed. The value of this property, in my judgment, is not to exceed \$1,800, and I recommend that the same be sold at the earliest possible moment. The President of the Assembly accompanied me on this inspection trip, together with Brother and Sister Wilson of Ottumwa. I refer

you to President Sister Schechter for a more detailed report of the property.

Code of General Laws Provided for Grand Master

The Code of General Laws provided for my use this year, from its appearance, will bear evidence of the constant use I have made of it. I will have the volume with me at Keokuk for return to the Grand Lodge.

State of the Order

The Grand Jurisdiction of Iowa was never in a more prosperous or better working condition. The fact that we do not have a delinquent lodge in the State is the best evidence; again, one of the greatest gains in membership in the history of the Order has been achieved this year, a net gain of 4,266, and large classes are being held every week.

Twelve consolidations have been consummated up to date during my term, and this is a very wise move for all the weaker lodges. It saves the membership for the Order, and brings the brothers of the weak lodge consolidating with a stronger lodge into an atmosphere of fellowship and fraternity that they have missed because of poor attendance and smallness of numbers.

The Special Sessions have accomplished much towards bringing about a better state of the Order. The Schools of Instructions and questions of law propounded through the question box and debate incident thereto have wrought wonders.

Board of Instruction

Brothers, I cannot emphasize too strongly the necessity for a better and more uniform understanding of the unwritten, or secret work. You are all aware of my interest personally in the unwritten work and the campaign I have put forth for the sale of keys. The fact that 3,324 keys have been sold this year ought to tell you that there is an earnest demand for knowledge concerning this important part of our work. The seed has been sown and I urge this Grand Lodge to act upon the recommendation set forth in another part of this report.

The present Board of Instruction, Brothers W. W. Brunton, Chairman, of Boone; N. D. Smith, Cedar Rapids; A. H. Estes, Waukee; R. H. Lambertson, DeWitt, and W. L. Blosser, of Moulton, Iowa, have been appointed absolutely on merit and ability. The proficiency

demonstrated by this Board surely entitles them to the earnest commendation of this Grand Body.

Without question, Brother W. W. Brunton, the Chairman, is one of the best posted brothers in this Grand Jurisdiction in the Unwritten Work. I desire at this time to acknowledge my thanks and appreciation for the wonderful work he has accomplished this year. Brothers Estes, Lambertson and Blosser have the work letter perfect. More than double the commissions have been issued this year as compared with last year and the harvest is yet to come as the campaign waged this year will bear its fruit later. The efficiency of the Board and the labor and enthusiasm they have imparted ought to mean gratifying results to the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I acknowledge the perfection and efficiency of the present Board and I extend my personal and sincere thanks for the many hours of labor they have given to the work that a higher standard of understanding might be imparted to the membership and a uniform degree of efficiency might be brought about in this Grand Jurisdiction.

Keys to the Unwritten Work

I have waged a campaign for a better and more perfect understanding of the Unwritten Work of our Order and have met with wonderful success and I predict that my successor will issue more commissions in the Unwritten Work than any other Grand Master for the following reasons:

It requires time to memorize the work and many hundreds are studying at the present time and will recite to some Member of the Board at Grand Lodge or later the work for a commission. It gives me great pleasure to inform this Grand Body that more keys have been sold this year than in all of the six years preceding my administration combined, as the total sales of keys up to the first of September, 1920, number 3,324 copies sold. I consider this a wonderful record and beg to state that Schools of Instructions have been held in many places and requests for Schools are coming in almost daily, showing that the brothers are making good use of the "Little Red Books." I request that the committee to whom this may be referred will make an analysis of this record, compare the sales herein recorded with the sales of other Grand Jurisdictions as shown in the Sovereign Grand Lodge Journal and report to this Grand Body their findings. I have investigated and find in one case that a jurisdiction with twice our membership last year only sold 848 copies.

No Visits to Other Jurisdictions

I have received many invitations to visit Grand Lodge sessions in other Grand Jurisdictions, and to the I. O. O. F. Conclave, in Kansas City. On account of the large number of dates promised, I have found it impossible to accept one of these invitations. I am truly sorry, for I would have enjoyed visiting other Grand Lodges as my predecessors have done, but I have been forced to forego the pleasure of attending the sessions indicated, believing it was my duty to give my full time to my own jurisdiction on account of dates contracted.

Recommendations

It is not my purpose to record herein a large number of recommendations. Many of the changes that I have had in mind have been taken up with Representatives and will be presented by them to this session of the Grand Lodge. Therefore, it is unnecessary to burden this report with the said proposed recommendations.

No. 1

I am of the opinion that the Board of Trustees of the Iowa Orphans' and Old Folks' Homes should be increased from three members to five and that the incoming Grand Master and President of the Assembly should be designated as the two extra members. This would increase the Board to five members without any expense to this Grand Body as the Grand Master and President are supposed to attend the meetings of the Board at present. I believe that the Grand Master and the President should be allowed full voting authority and have the same powers and rights as the Trustees.

No. 2

In my many visits this year, I have been impressed with the lack of knowledge shown by many lodges in the Unwritten Work and conferring of the degrees. It is plain to me why our suspension list is so high. It is because of the fact that the lessons of our Order are not properly taught and that the candidates do not get an idea of the great value of our lessons. It is impossible for a Grand Master, even though he gives to this Grand Body his full time, to visit less than one-half of the Subordinate lodges of this State in one year. We have 675 lodges or more and there are only 313 meeting nights. With the tremendous volume of correspondence that a Grand Master must handle and numerous other matters incident to his office, it is my candid belief and I earnestly recommend for your consideration that a competent brother be selected as Grand Instructor. Select a brother who has the Unwritten Work perfect, knows the ritual thoroughly and

can go into any lodge, show them how to organize a degree staff and properly confer the degrees and who shall devote his full time to the Order. Many Grand Masters have not given their full time to the Order, nor did they promise to do so when elected, and so this is not expressed with any thought of criticism to anyone, anywhere, but is only stated to bring out the point in mind that the smaller lodges of our State have suffered because they have not been visited as the larger and stronger lodges have been. If a Grand Master is not in a position to give of his full time, reduce his salary accordingly and pay an extra instructor with the money thus saved. I want to say to the Representatives and Past Grand Officers of the Grand Lodge of Iowa that a Grand Instructor would not cost this Grand Lodge one cent, for he will save to this Grand Body enough suspensions that the Per Capita tax on the same will, in a short time, more than pay his way, and besides, we need the brothers who have been suspended from the Order.

No. 3

At the present time the situation at the Homes is very gratifying and we are fortunate, indeed, to secure so capable and efficient a Superintendent, and Matron, but I realize the necessity for a re-consideration or rescinding of a part of the resolution enacted at Des Moines, Iowa, at the Special Session held there with reference to the qualifications of the Matron of our Home. Said resolution should be changed so that it would not be obligatory on the Trustees to select the wife of the Superintendent of the Homes for a Matron of the same. While, as stated, we are particularly fortunate in the present instance, this said part of the resolution may prove embarrassing in the future.

No. 4

Our present laws do not require that a Grand Master give his full time to the Order. I desire to emphasize the necessity for so doing or else the necessity of adopting recommendation No. 2. The Subordinate lodges of Iowa now number over 65,000 members and there are, according to the last report, 675 lodges. Further, there are 554 Rebekah lodges with a present membership of 52,000. All Rebekah questions of law and many other matters pertaining to Rebekah lodges must be handled by the Grand Master. With this combined membership of 117,000 and 1,229 lodges, it surely must be evident to you that this Grand Body must have a full time man and it appeals to me that a part of the qualifications for the office of Grand Master ought to be some resolution or enactment prohibiting the Grand Master from holding any political position or office that it would, in any way, take his

time from this Order. This recommendation is made with the thought in mind of the future and is not intended to be applied to this year. The greatest difficulty I find is trying to impress our membership how big we really are as an organization and the tremendous volume of business that is handled by this Grand Lodge.

No. 5

I am thoroughly convinced that our present system of selecting District Deputy Grand Masters is all wrong. Representatives will write to some lodge asking them to recommend a District Deputy Grand Master, and the said Representative recommends the appointment without any knowledge of his qualifications or the time he will be able to give his District. While I have only words of praise and congratulations for most of the Deputies this year, in a few instances, I have been compelled to make long trips at great expense to get results that the Deputy failed to secure for me. In some cases, the Deputy did not even have time to answer my letters. I, therefore, recommend that our law be amended so that the District Deputy Grand Master's office will be an elective one and that the Deputy will be nominated and elected on the same night as fixed for the nomination and election of Representatives. I earnestly commend this to your attention, for the Order is not getting the proper results from the present system.

No. 6

Many of the Representatives seem to feel that after they are elected, all obligations to the Order cease until the Grand Lodge session. One Representative whose Deputy had removed from the District wrote to the Grand Secretary and said that he did not have time to go the short distance of eight miles to secure the report and per capita tax of a lodge in his District that had not reported. I most heartily recommend that one of the qualifications of Representative be that the certificate of election shall not be issued by the Deputy Grand Master until the report and per capita tax of every lodge in each District in the State is in the hands of the Grand Secretary, and that the Grand Secretary shall certify to the Deputy Grand Master before the issuance of said certificate. A few Deputies, contrary to instructions as per my letter to Deputies, herewith made a part of this report, gave the S. A. P. to lodges that had not made report or paid their per capita tax. In the future, I recommend that our law be so amended that the pass words be transmitted to the Representative instead of the District Deputy Grand Master, and only so transmitted after the Grand Secretary has certified to the Grand Master that all the lodges have made report and paid per capita tax in the Districts wherein the said pass word is to be mailed.

No. 7

I have given a great deal of consideration to our present law of requiring semi-annual reports and payments of per capita tax, and after mature reflection, I am of the opinion that our present system is all wrong and is working a hardship on many of the smaller lodges. For illustration, with the exception of the present year, each year we have had many delinquent lodges, especially the last term of the year. The smaller lodges, and many of the large lodges, do not hold regular meetings, and more especially the farmer lodges. As a consequence, no legal election of officers are held, and it is almost impossible to get the reports and per capita tax in, whereas, if we had only annual reports, and the annual report and per capita tax due January 1st, no trouble would be experienced. Again, by our present system, a large per cent of Past Grands, receiving Past Grands' certificates as such, are, in fact, not entitled to said certificates, for the reason that they do not hold regular meetings and comply with the law governing the matter. I, therefore, recommend that this matter be referred to the Legislative committee for solution. I am heartily in favor of annual terms for officers also.

No. 8

At the last session of the Grand Lodge, a report was presented by the Finance Committee and adopted ordering that in the 1919 Grand Lodge Journal, only the photo of the Incoming and Outgoing Grand Master be published and thereafter only the photo of the Incoming Grand Master. This report was adopted without debate or consideration, and on account of the small expense incident thereto, I heartily believe that the photo of the Outgoing Grand Master, Incoming Grand Master and Incoming Deputy Grand Master should be published. Many times this year I have been asked why the pictures of the Grand Lodge Officers were omitted. I shall be the first Grand Master that this jurisdiction ever had that was deprived of the privilege and courtesy of having his photo on the front page of the journal of his year. Whether the record of my year is good or bad, I do not feel that another should be accorded the courtesy that I have been denied, and I sincerely trust that future Grand Masters will be accorded this privilege and courtesy. I, therefore, recommend that this report and Order be repealed.

A Business Administration

I have endeavored to give you a business administration rather than an oratorical term, and I believe that the following achievements of this year and the tremendous interest manifest everywhere

has justified my judgment. The greatest numerical gain in the history of this Grand Lodge for any one year has been made. The largest sale of Keys to the Unwritten Work in any one year or several years combined have been sold, and I am happy indeed to advise you that the net gain made for the past fiscal year in membership is 4,266.

An analysis of the campaign I have made for "new members and no suspensions" and the sale of keys must tell you that these campaigns have resulted so satisfactorily that the additional per capita tax on the new members and delinquent lodges resuscitated and the profit from the sale of keys will almost, if not quite, pay my salary and expenses.

The Grand Lodge of Iowa is a big institution and it is hard many times to properly impress the membership just how big we have grown and the tremendous volume of business transacted by this organization in one year. I have handled the business of the year to the very best of my ability. As most of you are aware, previous to my assuming the office of Grand Master, I had previously been employed with large corporations where mastership of details and executive and business judgment were the requisite qualifications. I have applied the experience thus secured to a business administration in this organization and it is a real pleasure to review the achievements of the past year and to congratulate everyone who contributed to the splendid results.

Acknowledgments and Personal Mention

Now that my year as Grand Master of this jurisdiction is about to close and I pause for a moment to consider to whom I am indebted for assistance, advice and counsel, I have been so loyally supported by the entire membership that space forbids the personal mention except a few:

To Grand Herald, William Hulett:

Brother Hulett is a member of my own Lodge. To him more than anyone else is due the credit for the magnificent Temple that Ames Lodge No. 309 owns for it was a large sum of his money that made the erection of our fine Temple possible. He has always been interested in my success and appreciates, perhaps, more than any other Odd Fellow, the honor that has come to me. He has, indeed, been a brother and friend to me.

To H. C. Ring, P. G. M.:

Brother Ring, at the time of my installation, gave me the assurance that he would be at my service. I have found it necessary to

counsel with him many times. He has always seemed happy when being of service to me. I served as District Deputy Grand Master under P. G. M. Ring when he occupied the office as Grand Master and I enjoyed the happy privilege of organizing and instituting the only two Lodges instituted under his administration. I cannot adequately express the sincere appreciation and thanks I owe Brother Ring for the services he has rendered me. I never requested assistance or counsel from him but what it was freely given.

To L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary:

I desire to convey my heartiest appreciation and thanks to Brother L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary. His wide experience in the work of our Order made his services of great value to me and I desire to add my personal appreciation and acknowledgment of the efficiency, ability and whole-souled devotion to the Order which he has displayed throughout my term of office. He has ever been kind, ready and willing to aid me and has, at all times, exhibited rare judgment in meeting the many perplexing problems that have arisen. I consider it a personal privilege to attest to the high degree of efficiency that prevails in the Grand Secretary's office.

To A. W. Merriam, Assistant Grand Secretary:

Brother Merriam is capable, efficient, courteous and ever ready to serve the best interests of the Order. Several times the past year, he has accompanied me and acted in place of the Grand Secretary at Special Sessions and I have been impressed with the able and efficient manner in which he performed his part. He is a master in the Unwritten Work of our Order and renders invaluable service at the Schools of Instruction held at the said Special Sessions. I first met Brother Merriam several years ago. Being near the same height and both in P. M. Uniform, we were placed at the head of a Grand Lodge parade. From that moment to the present time, a friendship has continued. I thank Brother Merriam for the many acts of kindness extended to me during my term.

To Thomas Dustin, Editor of the Iowa Odd Fellow:

Brother Dustin not only lives up to every tenet of our Order and practices the principles thereof conscientiously and consistently, but is always found working for the best interests of Odd Fellowship. He is, indeed, a real 100% Odd Fellow. To know him is to fully appreciate his worth. I acknowledge with profound gratitude the many kind suggestions and the words of counsel and wisdom spoken by him. My one great wish is that each and every Odd Fellow of this Grand Jurisdiction were subscribers to the Iowa Odd Fellow of which he is Editor. I appreciate the sincere friendship that has existed between Brother

Dustin and myself for nearly fifteen years. I thank you, Brother Dustin, for the courtesies extended to me.

To Dwight F. Davis, the able chairman of the Grand Lodge Mileage and Per Diem Committee:

Brother Davis has rendered a service to this Order worthy of commendation. His experience as traveling passenger agent and later city passenger agent at Sioux City has well qualified him to act for this Grand Lodge in his present capacity. His experience in routing has saved our organization a large sum of money. It is with pleasure that I acknowledge the friendship of many years' standing to Brother Dwight. I assisted to initiate him. He is every inch an Odd Fellow. Many courtesies and kindnesses have been extended to me by Brother Davis during the year for which I thank him.

To Brother C. C. Miller, of Ames:

My Closest Friend and Pal: I desire to express my appreciation and thanks for many kind words of encouragement spoken by him during the year. He has, indeed, been an inspiration to me and it gives me real pleasure to herewith acknowledge his kindness to me.

To Jasper J. Grove, Chairman of By-Law Committee:

The tremendous amount of work in connection with the large number of by-laws handled this year has required the utmost patience of Brother Grove and yet he has met the situation with a smile with never a word of complaint and has at all times been kind to me. Many pleasant words of encouragement have been received from him.

To George R. Ahrens, John C. Milner and Tracy Osborne:

Several years ago, the first two named brothers and my dear departed brother and friend, Henry C. Chapin and myself were given the title of the "Quadruple Alliance" because of the close friendship that had grown and developed. Indeed, the brotherly love and affection that existed between the four could truly be likened unto that of Jonathan and David. It was the request of Brother Chapin that when the time came that the Alliance should be broken by death that Tracy Osborne should be added to fill such vacancy. Last year, at Ames, this request was most solemnly fulfilled. It is impossible, in a brief paragraph, to acknowledge all of the kindnesses they have extended to me or the many, many words of encouragement spoken. They have proven themselves "My brothers in Deed and in Truth." I thank each of you. May the beautiful friendship that has existed so long continue uninterrupted into the future is my prayer.

To Fred Christianer:

Who is ninety-one years young and is familiarly known as "The Kid." He recently celebrated his sixty-fourth anniversary of his ad-

mission into our Order. He has accompanied me on many occasions this year and the audiences have been especially pleased and delighted to hear him speak and he has proven an inspiration to those younger members who are not regular in their attendance. He has a thorough knowledge of the Unwritten Work of all branches of Odd Fellowship and has helped me greatly at Schools of Instruction.

To Charles H. Schechter, the husband of our President:

Brother Schechter has always been a consistent and loyal booster for Odd Fellowship. This year he has worked untiringly to assist the President in every way possible and has rendered the Order a wonderful service. To know Brother Charles is to love him. Brother Schechter and I have been friends for several years and that friendship has been cemented in a way by the associations of the past year and my wish is that it will continue until the end of life.

To F. J. Alber, Grand Marshal:

During my severe illness in April, Brother Alber filled several of my engagements for me and I have on file in my office many fine complimentary letters concerning Brother Alber. He not only is a 100% Odd Fellow but practices the teachings and principles of our great Order and has been, indeed, a friend and brother.

To Margaret Schechter, President of the Rebekah Assembly:

For being ever ready to do anything in her power to make this year one of the very best years in Iowa Odd Fellowship, she has proved herself well qualified to occupy the high position that the Assembly of Iowa has conferred on her and as I have traveled over this Grand Jurisdiction and have listened to the many fine compliments paid her, it gave me great pleasure to know that she was loved by all for her wonderful ability and sterling worth. Her happy smile and sunny disposition was always a benediction to those whose pleasure it was to meet her, and has served many times to encourage me when everything seemed to be going "Dead wrong." Her term will go down in the history of this jurisdiction as one of the very best administrations the Assembly of Iowa has ever enjoyed, and Sister Schechter will enjoy the happy position of being one of the very best and most loved Presidents we ever had. The President has given her entire time to the office. She has traveled constantly. The achievements of her term as your President will stand out pre-eminently. The Grand Master and President have co-operated and worked in perfect harmony. I thank the Rebekahs of Iowa for electing Sister Schechter as your President during my administration. It gives me great pleasure to acknowledge the many kindnesses, advice and words of wisdom received from the President this year. Sister Schechter is a splendid speaker,

a rare tactician and has at all times shown and demonstrated rare judgment when adjudicating perplexing controversies and at other times. I can only say, in passing, I thank you, Sister President.

To the capable and highly efficient stenographer, Sister Catherine Davis of the Grand Secretary's office:

Many, many times, when at the Grand Secretary's office on official business and having a quantity of unanswered mail with me, I have requested her assistance and was always answered with a cheery "Yes, Grand Master, I am at your service," and although she has many letters yet to write before the close of her day's work, and many times I fear my extra work made her late, she always was ready and willing to take my dictation and always with that smile. I appreciate, Sister Davis, the many kindnesses extended me and the services rendered.

To S. Elizabeth Matheney, Secretary of the Assembly:

It is a pleasure for me to acknowledge the many kind courtesies extended to me by the Secretary of the Assembly and it is a real pleasure for me to herein emphasize the splendid efficiency that prevails in her office. The exchange of correspondence between her office and the Grand Master's has been most pleasant and her replies always prompt.

To Alta Striker, former Matron of the Homes:

I desire to personally express my appreciation of the wonderful service rendered this Order and the Homes by Sister Striker. Her sterling worth and wonderful capability have made her services invaluable and she is entitled to the greatest credit from our entire membership.

To my daughter, Mabel:

Who has given the Order her entire time during the past twelve months and sacrificed one entire year of college making it thus possible for me to give my entire time to the Order. Miss Mabel has sacrificed much in ambition and finances to serve the Odd Fellows of Iowa. Many times she has been offered more than double the wages I have been able to allow her from my expense account, but she feels that she has been repaid in the honor you have given me and my family. I am sure that the Odd Fellows of this Grand Jurisdiction appreciate the service she has rendered. Many hundreds have received letters from her. She has been prompt, efficient, and capable. I acknowledge a debt of gratitude to her.

To my wife and five daughters:

I owe my all. Whatever of good I have accomplished, whatever of honor has come to me, is theirs. They have been deprived of the care and protection due from a husband and father the past year;

yet, not a word of complaint, even during the severe cold weather months of last winter. But instead, I have always received words of encouragement and love. My family have always been an inspiration to me and it is with a heart overflowing with love and gratitude that I acknowledge at this moment my love and devotion for them.

To Ames Lodge, No. 309, I. O. O. F collectively:

I cannot find words to express the appreciation I feel and the thanks that are due each and every individual member of my own Subordinate Lodge. The many manifestations of kindnesses and love they have shown me, the many beautiful tokens and presents showered upon me and the sincere words of encouragement given me, overwhelm me. All I can say is that I thank you with my heart overflowing with gratitude.

To the Advisory Board of the Rebekah Assembly:

The present Board consisting of Sisters Graham, Washburn and Quigley, as you know, all Past Presidents of the Rebekah Assembly, of Iowa, have each rendered to me invaluable service during my administration. Sisters, I appreciate your counsel and advice. These sisters are indefatigable workers and always are planning for the best interests of our Home and the Order in general.

To the Rebekahs of Iowa:

My relations with the officers of the Rebekah Assembly and the membership in general have been most cordial and pleasant. There is evidence everywhere of the most sincere and devoted interest in the work. The Rebekah Lodges of Iowa were never more prosperous and are, indeed, a mighty force for good. I pledged to the Rebekah Assembly my support and best efforts and I have kept the faith as the President of the Assembly will attest. The Rebekahs of Iowa have accomplished more for the Order in proportion to their number than any other branch of Odd Fellowship and I shall ever be found working and talking for the Rebekah Branch of our Order.

To the Homes' Trustees:

To John A. Scott, Chairman; A. C. Cherry, Secretary, and E. W. Cutting, P. G. M., Treasurer:

The Board is composed of brothers who have given their best to Odd Fellowship; all highly efficient, capable and conscientious in their labor and deliberation and will render to you a service that cannot be paid for in money. Many, many times this year I have been impressed with the time they have spent and money expended for which they did not want pay, but the time and money expended was for the best interests of the Homes and the Order they all love so

well. I acknowledge many fine courtesies and kindnesses from each of the above named members of the Board this year for which I sincerely thank them.

In Memoriam

Past Grand Master M. W. White

The death of M. W. White, P. G. M., Sioux City, has caused me inexpressible grief. Another link has been broken in our chain which never can be filled, but we bow in humble submission to the will of the All Wise God, and we shall ever be grateful for the influence of his beautiful character and his life so nobly lived. We truly sympathize with the sorrowing wife, bereft of a kind and loving husband. No higher eulogy can be pronounced in memory of Brother White than to say "He lived to serve mankind" and his belief in the two great fundamental truths of Odd Fellowship, "The Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of man."

Past Grand Master White has received the summons that called him from the scenes of this earth to the realms of the Grand Lodge above.

He has gone. Never more will we be able to listen to his words of counsel, of advice, of guidance; never more will we be able to grasp his hand, to look upon his kindly face, to hear his voice; but his memory will be cherished, and his beautiful character and good deeds will live on forever.

Past Grand Patriarch A. D. Steele

Past Grand Patriarch Steele has passed from this life to the Great Beyond. His health had been poor for a considerable time, but he was always cheery, and enjoyed the fellowship of his friends and brothers. His life had been a strong and useful one, and he will be sadly missed. I regret more than I can express the fact that I could not attend the funeral service of Brother Steele. Brother Steele's influence will not soon be forgotten.

In Conclusion

The record of my year as Grand Master has been written. You are the jury. The evidence is all in and arguments have been made. I sincerely trust that a favorable verdict will be your decision. I request you to place yourselves in my position when analyzing the different problems and official acts, and ask yourself this important question: "What would I have done under similar circumstances and con-

ditions?" I have exercised conscientious judgment. I rest my case with you.

How well I have watched over that submitted to my care will be left for you to judge. Words fail me when I undertake to express to you collectively my appreciation of the high honor conferred upon me in permitting me to be Grand Master of this splendid jurisdiction for twelve months. While at times I have felt the responsibility keenly, yet the loyalty and co-operation of the membership have made the work a real pleasure.

I do not expect that my administration has pleased every member, but I have, at all times, performed my duty as I saw it, and according to the dictates of my best judgment. I have performed each and every duty fearlessly and without prejudice or partiality and if I have, in your judgment, made mistakes, such have not been made maliciously, but through lack of understanding and judgment.

In a few short days, I will surrender my authority to my successor, but I want to give you renewed assurance that when you have conferred upon another the honor of the office I now hold, that while I may be termed a "has been," I am not through with Odd Fellowship. On the contrary, the experience of the past year has better fitted me to "Go on" in the work I love and has made me more capable for continued usefulness to the Order for I appreciate beyond words to express, what real, true Odd Fellowship means.

In closing, I desire to give expressions of appreciation to each and everyone who assisted me in any way. I have found willing hands and hearts everywhere.

As above stated, I commit the year's work to you for approval. I hope and trust that your verdict will be favorable, not only for my sake, but for the sake of those loved ones at home who love me, and have denied themselves so much that I might serve the Order "And the Eternal things it stands for."

"There are links that have a tender meaning
That the eyes of love alone may see,
But the links that fill my life with sunshine
Are the 'Three Links' that bind you and me."

Fraternally submitted,

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "F. H. Rodgers". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed title "Grand Master."

Grand Master.

Grand Secretary's Report

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, I. O. O. F.:

Brothers: As required by the constitution, herewith find statement of the transactions of the Grand Secretary's office for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1920.

The past year has been a prosperous one for the Order. Since the war closed there has been a general drift toward Fraternalism, and all Fraternal Orders have been benefited thereby; the success of each individual Lodge has been measured by the efforts of its members. There is plenty of good material in all localities, but it requires a few good, active members to bring it into the Lodge. Lodges do not stand still, they either go forward or backward, and the Lodge that succeeds must be constantly adding new blood.

Journal of Proceedings

The number of copies of the journal to be printed appears to have been left to the discretion of the Grand Secretary. I asked for a bid on the same number of copies as was printed last year and found the cost would be \$1,000.00 in excess of last year's prices. By reducing the number of copies 700 I could effect a saving of \$475.00 and entered into a contract for the reduced number. There are some Lodges that ask for more copies than the number allotted to them, but others do not distribute ones sent to them. On a number of occasions I have found the entire package sent them stacked on the floor, untouched, several months after being received.

The cost of printing, like everything else, is high, and I believe the Grand Lodge should determine the number of copies they desire to have printed.

It is recommended that of the journal of the coming session there be printed 3,000 copies, 1,000 bound in cloth and 2,000 in paper.

Election of Representatives

As by law required, on April 20, 1920, notices for the election of representatives were sent to all the Lodges in the even numbered districts, and with said notices blanks for return to be made to Deputy Grand Master John R. Price, Albia, Iowa.

Election of Grand Officers

On May 15th, as by law provided, tickets for the election of Grand Lodge Officers were sent to all Lodges, and therewith blanks for return, and envelopes in which to send said return to Grand Master F. F. Rodgers, Ames, Iowa.

Rebekah Lodges Instituted

Dispensations have been issued to institute six Rebekah Lodges, as listed below:

Stockport No. 145, Stockport, Van Buren county, instituted January 14, 1920.

Ellsworth No. 69, Ellsworth, Hamilton county, instituted April 9, 1920.

Betheden No. 85, Gruver, Emmet county, instituted April 27, 1920.

Cloverland No. 178, Chelsea, Tama county, instituted May 3, 1920.

Home Charity No. 156, Preston, Jackson county, instituted June 29, 1920.

Post No. 48, Postville, Allamakee county, instituted August 28, 1920.

Consolidations

Subordinate

Prosperity No. 704, Davenport, Scott county, with Scott No. 37, Davenport, Scott county, October 30, 1919.

Trenton No. 57, Trenton, Henry county, with Mystic No. 55, Mount Pleasant, Henry county, December 30, 1919.

Hope No. 731, Gravity, Taylor county, with Bedford No. 91, Bedford, Taylor county, February 27, 1920.

Schiller No. 11, Dubuque, Dubuque county, with Harmony No. 2, Dubuque, Dubuque county, March 5, 1920.

Elkader No. 304, Elkader, Clayton county, with Itasca No. 111, McGregor, Clayton county, March 15, 1920.

Caledonia No. 293, Caledonia, Ringgold county, with Mount Ayr No. 169, Mount Ayr, Ringgold county, March 30, 1920.

Olin No. 340, Olin, Jones county, with Anamosa No. 40, Anamosa, Jones county, April 2, 1920.

Sidonia No. 393, Denison, Crawford county, with Denison No. 626, Denison, Crawford county, April 22, 1920.

Stratford No. 673, Stratford, Hamilton county, with Homer No. 522, Homer, Hamilton county, May 15, 1920.

Botna Valley No. 312, Manilla, Crawford county, with Globe No. 280, Dow City, Crawford county, June 29, 1920.

Goodell No. 535, Goodell, Hancock county, with Belmond No. 265, Belmond, Wright county, September 21, 1920.

Lawton No. 34, Danville, Des Moines county, with Charity No. 56, New London, Henry county, September 27, 1920.

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Chief Logan No. 573, Mingo, Jasper county, with Spring City No. 208, Colfax, Jasper county, January 30, 1920.

Banquet No. 343, New Hartford, Butler county, with Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls, Black Hawk county, May 13, 1920.

Rebekah Charters Surrendered

Name	No.	Location	County	Date
Pleasant.....	43	Bladensburg.....	Wapello.....	Oct. 4, 1919
Bloom.....	194	Norway.....	Benton.....	Aug. 2, 1920
Concatenation.....	296	Mt. Etna.....	Adams.....	Oct. 14, 1919
Banner Valley.....	535	Ely.....	Linn.....	June 17, 1920

Duplicate Charters Issued

Date	Name	No.	Location
November 12, 1919.....	Sacred (Rebekah).....	462	Homer
December 17, 1919.....	Chief Logan (Rebekah).....	573	Mingo
December 31, 1919.....	Homer.....	522	Homer
April 30, 1920.....	Protection.....	611	Britt
June 30, 1920.....	Cumberland.....	542	Cumberland
June 30, 1920.....	Priscilla (Rebekah).....	127	Cumberland

Cards to Members of Defunct Lodges

Subordinate

Date	Name	No.	Date	Name	No.
Sept. 30, 1919	David J. Walters.....	451	April 21, 1920	O. M. Caldwell.....	550
Oct. 9, 1919	E. E. Shannon.....	473	April 21, 1920	George Forby	321
Oct. 29, 1919	John W. Frame.....	419	May 4, 1920	Neal Johnson	457
Nov. 7, 1919	Grover Merical	451	May 15, 1920	A. W. Lyman.....	431
Nov. 12, 1919	A. E. Harlan.....	444	May 21, 1920	C. F. Broadhead.....	472
Nov. 26, 1919	A. M. Cowell.....	541	June 18, 1920	O. G. Luehrs.....	417
Nov. 29, 1919	O. N. Knight.....	48	June 18, 1920	W. T. Adams.....	336
Dec. 24, 1919	J. Robt. Quass.....	59	June 19, 1920	Raymond Hill	541
Jan. 2, 1920	P. H. Dethlef.....	560	June 26, 1920	W. C. Davis.....	48
Feb. 18, 1920	W. L. Gump.....	419	June 30, 1920	W. W. Whitmore.....	419
Feb. 18, 1920	N. C. Cullen.....	419	Aug. 9, 1920	Jas. C. Fitzsimmons..	162
Mar. 23, 1920	Henry Otto	560			

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Date	Name	No.	Date	Name	No.
Sept. 30, 1919	Etta Burgess	69	April 3, 1920	W. M. Ronnfeldt.....	65
Sept. 30, 1919	R. C. Swope.....	383	April 3, 1920	Bertha M. Keesee.....	65
Sept. 30, 1919	Walter W. Aderson....	465	April 3, 1920	Ossie Hanson	65
Oct. 9, 1919	Katie L. Jones.....	450	April 3, 1920	Inez Hanson	65
Oct. 9, 1919	Eliz'beth L. Davidson	450	April 3, 1920	Florence Marshall	599
Oct. 18, 1919	Elizabeth D. Cook.....	417	April 10, 1920	Flora Fisher	159
Oct. 18, 1919	M. F. Older.....	548	April 10, 1920	Icy Jones	159
Oct. 18, 1919	Georgia Older	548	April 21, 1920	Abbie Gill	411
Oct. 29, 1919	Malinda Bowman	43	April 21, 1920	Emma Brewer	518
Oct. 29, 1919	Ellis Bennett	148	April 24, 1920	F. J. Nowak	250
Oct. 29, 1919	Anna M. Bennett.....	148	April 30, 1920	Cora Kent	250
Nov. 12, 1919	W. L. Wells.....	69	April 30, 1920	Mary Kenner	250
Nov. 12, 1919	Daisy W. Wells.....	69	April 30, 1920	Fannie Sell	250
Dec. 13, 1920	William Reed	548	April 30, 1920	Flora Boyer	250
Dec. 13, 1920	Maud Reed	548	April 30, 1920	Lola S. Comte.....	250
Dec. 13, 1920	H. C. Stout.....	548	April 30, 1920	Cora Mercer	250
Dec. 13, 1920	Osel Stout	548	May 4, 1920	Margaret Gaunt	411
Dec. 13, 1920	S. B. Aid.....	395	May 4, 1920	Rilla Brower	485
Dec. 13, 1920	Ella Aid	395	May 4, 1920	W. W. Brower.....	485
Dec. 13, 1920	Nellie B. Sparks.....	395	May 15, 1920	Frank Wiley	395
Jan. 5, 1920	Minnie Brown	159	May 15, 1920	W. T. Catin.....	465
Jan. 12, 1920	Jennie L. Davis.....	321	May 15, 1920	Zelda E. Catin.....	465
Jan. 14, 1920	Nora Johnson	518	May 21, 1920	May C. Elston.....	321
Jan. 14, 1920	Geo. Johnson	518	May 29, 1920	Blanche Hayden	261
Jan. 14, 1920	J. F. Fleming.....	518	June 5, 1920	Chas. Peet	231
Jan. 14, 1920	Rebekah Fleming	518	June 5, 1920	Mrs. Chas. Peet.....	231
Jan. 14, 1920	Rose Dodds	518	June 5, 1920	Addie Smithley	231
Jan. 14, 1920	Lute Dodds	518	June 5, 1920	Laura Morris	231
Jan. 17, 1920	Pearl Dow	518	June 5, 1920	A. K. Deshong.....	231
Jan. 17, 1920	Bertha Fickel	518	June 5, 1920	Daniel Baker	417
Jan. 24, 1920	Anna J. Alvy	518	June 5, 1920	Lizzie Baker	417
Jan. 24, 1920	Carrie Hammons	518	June 18, 1920	Vienna Dill	518
Jan. 24, 1920	Andrew J. May.....	69	June 19, 1920	Louisa W. Goldsmith..	503
Feb. 2, 1920	Hattie R. Debbs.....	455	June 19, 1920	Fannie Slates	395
Feb. 2, 1920	Mollie Brown	159	June 19, 1920	Minnie Clayton	159
Feb. 2, 1920	Wm. C. Ridgeway.....	454	June 19, 1920	Carrie Lamb	159
Feb. 5, 1920	Elsie Ward	69	June 19, 1920	Mrs. James Gambrel..	159
Feb. 5, 1920	Ira A. Ward.....	69	June 19, 1920	Sarah Albertson	159
Feb. 7, 1920	Mrs. N. M. Morrison	324	June 19, 1920	Eva Baker	159
Feb. 7, 1920	Clara C. Robb.....	159	June 19, 1920	Mollie Wolf	159
Feb. 7, 1920	Adaline Clary	159	June 19, 1920	Fred A. Wolf.....	159
Feb. 7, 1920	Ruth Clary	159	June 26, 1920	India W. Lee.....	118
Feb. 21, 1920	Zilpha Carder	159	June 30, 1920	Allie Butteroff	383
Feb. 21, 1920	Verna Fisher	159	July 10, 1920	Frank Slates	395
Feb. 26, 1920	W. C. Allison.....	395	July 14, 1920	Anna P. Ashbaugh....	395
Feb. 26, 1920	Jennie Allison	395	July 21, 1920	Anna Evans	521
Feb. 26, 1920	Tilda Whitehead	395	Aug. 9, 1920	Mrs. C. E. Moorman..	395
Feb. 26, 1920	Lennie W. Bickel.....	159	Aug. 9, 1920	N. O. Sparks.....	395
Feb. 26, 1920	Lela Nelson	456	Aug. 12, 1920	Edgar R. Hurlburt....	423
Mar. 4, 1920	Ethel O. Markee.....	548	Aug. 12, 1920	Maggie A Hurlburt....	423
Mar. 13, 1920	Cora A. Trump.....	305	Aug. 27, 1920	William Bower	48
Mar. 17, 1920	J. K. Wyatt.....	42	Aug. 27, 1920	Hattie E. Bower.....	48
Mar. 17, 1920	Lizzie Wyatt	42	Aug. 31, 1920	Ida Snoddy	326
Mar. 17, 1920	Anna Foresman	139	Aug. 31, 1920	Etta Taylor	326
Mar. 20, 1920	Eva C. Palmer.....	521	Aug. 31, 1920	Olive Glenn	326

Jewels

During the last fiscal year jewels have been ordered as by the following list:

Honorable Veteran Jewel

No. 44, Philander Hixson, Tama, No. 152.

Veteran Jewels

- No. 806, A. J. Skilling, Black Hawk, No. 72.
- No. 807, G. O. Rollins, Black Hawk, No. 72.
- No. 808, Geo. Grau, Ireton, No. 502.
- No. 809, H. D. Seamonds, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 810, John Donelson, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 811, M. L. Edwards, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 812, J. M. Flathers, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 813, G. W. Phillips, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 814, B. F. Newcomer, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 815, O. H. Kelley, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 816, W. P. Markland, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 817, George Draper, Winneshiek, No. 58.
- No. 818, George Hislop, Winneshiek, No. 58.
- No. 819, Lawrence Davis, Milo, No. 413.
- No. 820, Bernhart Tietgens, Walhalla, No. 150.
- No. 821, A. A. Arnold, Prairie City, No. 144.
- No. 822, W. F. Lutz, Casey, No. 256.
- No. 823, Richard Bucknell, Winneshiek, No. 58.
- No. 824, H. S. Boomgaarden, Rock Rapids, No. 480.
- No. 825, J. S. Deal, Rock Rapids, No. 480.
- No. 826, P. A. Peterson, Elk River, No. 162.
- No. 827, L. DeFord, Redfield, No. 135.
- No. 828, A. J. Miller, Logan, No. 355.
- No. 829, J. N. Freeman, Lake City, No. 330.
- No. 830, S. I. Burkholder, Olive, No. 85.
- No. 831, R. N. Butters, Prairie City, No. 144.
- No. 832, Frank Nelson, Clarion, No. 124.
- No. 833, J. W. Lindsay, Clarion, No. 124.
- No. 834, O. H. Sweeney, Black Hawk, No. 72.
- No. 835, Charles Hughes, Ridgely, No. 450.
- No. 836, A. P. York, Friendship, No. 96.
- No. 837, Tom L. Severe, Ridgely, No. 450.
- No. 838, Amon A. Smith, Ridgely, No. 450.
- No. 839, R. A. McIntyre, Western Star, No. 282.
- No. 840, T. A. Shillington, Clarion, No. 124.
- No. 841, John McBride, Gilmore City, No. 595.
- No. 842, Robert Hoit, Banner, No. 123.
- No. 843, M. W. Gamble, Epp, No. 708.
- No. 844, Wm. Bowman, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 845, John S. Laird, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 846, C. E. Duffin, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 847, B. M. Chamberlain, Jackson, No. 33.
- No. 848, D. F. Scheib, Jackson, No. 33.

- No. 849, Geo. Falkenhaimer, Western Star, No. 282.
No. 850, C. O. Dyer, Redfield, No. 135.
No. 851, A. Mabbitt, Redfield, No. 135.
No. 852, W. S. Parks, Kirkville, No. 47.
No. 853, J. S. Shields, Kirkville, No. 47.
No. 854, L. P. Hunter, Riverside, No. 478.
No. 855, A. B. Straus, Banner, No. 123.
No. 856, H. L. Thorp, Banner, No. 123.
No. 857, Geo. Williamson, Banner, No. 123.
No. 858, A. W. Barney, Paullina, No. 483.
No. 859, E. E. Moon, Sherman No. 576.
No. 860, A. J. Cork, Sherman, No. 576.
No. 861, E. Cork, Sherman, No. 576.
No. 862, L. W. Sutherland, Slater, No. 384.
No. 863, Chas. Try, Bristol, No. 191.
No. 864, W. E. Thompson, Oto, No. 343.
No. 865, Simon Livermore, Oto, No. 343.
No. 866, M. C. Wheeler, Forest City, No. 440.
No. 867, A. H. Cheney, Spencer, No. 247.
No. 868, H. Chamberlain, Spencer, No. 247.
No. 869, J. E. Francis, Spencer, No. 247.
No. 870, R. G. Gill, Eureka, No. 44.
No. 871, C. E. Perkins, Ft. Des Moines, No. 25.
No. 872, John Tidball, Clarinda, No. 109.
No. 873, J. T. Kinson, Clarion, No. 124.
No. 874, J. T. Osborne, Clarion, No. 124.
No. 875, J. H. Soms, Clarion, No. 124.
No. 876, William H. Morford, Nishnabotna, No. 409.
No. 877, Henry N. Smith, Spencer, No. 247.
No. 878, C. A. Wells, Center Star, No. 588.
No. 879, Allen Furgason, Oto, No. 343.
No. 880, O. O. Crum, Capitol, No. 106.
No. 881, P. C. Hisel, Center Star No. 588.
No. 882, S. L. Daniels, Henry, No. 10.
No. 883, E. C. Copeland, Sioux Valley, No. 470.
No. 884, William C. Heller, Fonda, No. 203.
No. 885, Edward M. Ibsen, Fonda, No. 203.
No. 886, Leroy Whitney, Spencer, No. 247.
No. 887, W. R. Casselberry, Capitol, No. 106.
No. 888, John N. Butler, Lake View, No. 302.
No. 889, Chas. H. Schanck, Lake View, No. 302.
No. 890, George Dewhirst, Iowa, No. 324.
No. 891, A. S. Payne, Hiawatha, No. 514.

Veteran Buttons

- Thomas L. Long, No. 352.
- Ben F. Davis, No. 93.
- H. Chamberlain, No. 247.
- Geo. W. Cram, No. 265.
- Wm. F. Miller, No. 268.
- O. A. Hoover, No. 268.
- D. S. Cooper, No. 268.

Rebekah Veteran Jewels

- Alice C. Lindsay, Mary, No. 141.
- Frances Budlong, Uriel, No. 546.
- Nelsena Hansen, Uriel, No. 546.
- Mary Tutttle, Uriel, No. 546.
- Elizabeth Amesbery, Uriel, No. 546.
- Nellie Nelson, Uriel, No. 546.
- Meta Vollstedt, Scott-Zedoka, No. 2.
- Luella Woods, Scott-Zedoka, No. 2.
- Margaret Koch, Queen, No. 106.
- Mary E. Kellogg, Paradise, No. 265.
- Rosa B. Norwood, Scott-Zedoka, No. 2.
- Bella Silberstein, Scott-Zedoka, No. 2.

Statistical

Statistics of the Order Throughout the World From
1830 to December 31, 1919

(From Grand Secretary Goodwin's report to the S. G. L., Sept., 1920)
Including Australia, Denmark, Germany, Netherlands, Sweden
and Switzerland.

Initiations in Subordinate Lodges	4,756.749
Members relieved	5,159,223
Widowed families relieved	385,291
Members deceased	555,380
Total Relief	\$194,083,614.66
Total revenue	451,504,378.51

Condition of the Order Throughout the World December 31, 1919

Sovereign Grand Lodge	1
Quasi-Independent Grand Lodges (Australia, Denmark, Germany, Netherlands, Sweden and Switzerland)	6
Grand Lodges	68

Grand Encampments -----	58
Subordinate Lodges -----	17,374
Subordinate Encampments -----	3,377
Rebekah Lodges -----	9,725
Lodge members -----	1,794,636
Encampment members -----	264,178
Rebekah Lodge members -----	830,133
Total number of persons belonging to the Order -----	2,371,738
Total relief paid in 1919 -----	\$ 7,187,862.81
Total receipts of Subordinate bodies for 1919 -----	\$23,885,579.31
Total expenses of Grand and Subordinate bodies for 1919 -----	\$12,424,994.23
Invested funds of Grand and Subordinate bodies December 31, 1919 -----	\$80,430,477.05

Report to the Sovereign Grand Lodge

Annual report of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, commencing January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919:

Number of Lodges, 669.

Number of members per last report -----	60,799
Initiated during the year -----	5,544
Admitted by card -----	1,344
Reinstated -----	604 — 7,492
Total -----	68,291

From which deduct:

Error in last report -----	145
Withdrawn by card -----	856
Dropped for non-payment of dues -----	2,287
Expelled -----	27
Deceased -----	706 — 4,021

Members December 31, 1919 -----	64,270
Number of Brothers relieved -----	3,988
Number of widowed families relieved -----	38
Number of Brothers buried -----	706

Amount paid for:

Relief of Brothers -----	\$ 82,727.74
Relief of widowed families -----	1,415.51
Burying the dead -----	37,173.11
Special relief -----	7,303.16

Total relief -----	\$128,619.52
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Receipts for dues	\$ 94,818.41
Receipts from admissions and degrees	282,326.68
Receipts from rents and invested funds	185,020.80
Receipts from all other sources	125,039.93

Total receipts -----\$687,205.82

Number of weeks' sickness for which benefits were paid-- 29,002

The amount paid for the working or current expenses of

Subordinates for the year-----\$ 295,658.17

Amount paid for expenses of the Grand Lodge for the year 21,624.24

Invested funds of Subordinates----- 2,767,732.40

Summary of June Reports

Members December 31, 1919	64,270
Error in last report	36
Initiated	3,926
Admitted by card	893
Reinstated	350— 5,205

Total ----- 69,475

From which deduct:

Dropped	1,132
Withdrawn by card	638
Deceased	429
Expelled	12— 2,211

Total members June 30, 1920----- 67,264

A net gain for the term of----- 2,994

Rebekah Degree

Annual report of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, commencing January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919:

Number of Lodges, 545.

	Brothers	Sisters	Total
Members per last report	14,953	31,211	46,164
Initiated during the year	1,874	3,305	5,179
Admitted by card	159	484	643
Reinstated	167	333	500
Total	17,153	35,333	52,486

From which deduct:	Brothers	Sisters			
Withdrawn by card-----	154	448			
Dropped -----	998	1,736			
Expelled -----	7	6			
Deceased -----	142	260	— 1,301	2,450	3,751
Members December 31, 1919-----	15,852	32,883	48,735		
Receipts for dues-----				\$46,296.23	
Receipts from admissions-----				7,110.76	
Receipts from rents and invested funds-----				632.56	
Receipts from all other sources-----				16,701.86	
Total Receipts-----				\$70,741.41	
Amount paid for relief of members-----				\$11,889.40	
Amount paid for relief of widowed families-----				20.00	
Amount paid for relief of orphans-----				324.97	
Amount paid for education of orphans-----				84.00	
Amount paid for special relief-----				407.76	
Total relief -----				\$12,726.13	
Amount paid for the working or current expenses of Rebekah Lodges for the year-----				\$51,490.94	
Amount paid for expenses of the Rebekah Assembly for the year -----				15,937.13	
Invested funds of Rebekah Lodges-----				28,792.16	
Invested funds of Rebekah Assembly-----				2,000.00	

Expelled Lists

Below find copy of expelled lists sent to the Subordinate Lodges:
February 14, 1920

Name	Lodge	No.	Cause	Date
Richard Bucher.....	Scott	37	Contempt	Oct. 15, 1919
F. O. Middaugh.....	Clarke	95	Contempt	July 2, 1919
Will Stelter, Jr.....	Osage	195	Contempt	Sept. 16, 1919
A. F. Mart.....	Ames	309	Conduct unbecoming	Dec. 2, 1919
L. C. Wright.....	Greene	315	Contempt	Nov. 10, 1919
W. A. Conway.....	Conway	553	Fraudulent banking	
C. A. Twyford.....	Oakdale	589	Embezzlement	Dec. 31, 1919
John W. Barnes.....	Ankeny Star.....	627	Defrauding brothers	Oct. 29, 1919

August 14, 1920

Name	Lodge	No.	Cause	Date
F. J. Blake.....	Olive	85		Mar. 16, 1920
Jas. G. Vaughn.....	Hebron	148	Conduct unbecoming	Mar. 9, 1920
Harold L. Lamb.....	Winfield	154	Contempt	June 28, 1920
Geo. W. Neeley.....	Villisca	219	Contempt	June 24, 1919
H. J. Southern.....	West Grove.....	239	Contempt	April 22, 1920
G. O. Smith.....	Soldier Valley.....	580	Conduct unbecoming	April 8, 1920
Ben A. Richmond....	Valley Junction....	604		April 12, 1920
J. A. Sparqur.....	Maple Grove.....	605	Contempt	June 12, 1920
Mearlin Gosnell	Postononock	607	Contempt	May 22, 1920
A. G. Canfield.....	Protection	611	Conduct unbecoming	Mar. 26, 1920
Wm. R. McMurdo....	Ankeny Star.....	627	Conduct unbecoming	June 30, 1920
J. M. Clark.....	Maine	643	Contempt	June 25, 1920
Joe Govglemette....	Brazil	648	Contempt	July 8, 1920

Roll of Honor

On which is inscribed the names of the Lodges that during the year
have initiated ten or more candidates

No.	Location	Initiations	No.	Location	Initiations
386	Reinbeck	111	582	New Market	37
31	Fort Madison	99	630	Des Moines	37
576	Des Moines	75	631	Corwith	37
262	Anita	55	85	Fort Dodge	36
80	Atlantic	54	187	Clear Lake	36
109	Clarinda	54	294	Oelwein	35
224	Mason City.....	54	356	Des Moines	35
588	Des Moines	53	480	Rock Rapids	35
684	Sioux City	53	72	Waterloo	34
206	Corning	52	123	Marshalltown	34
37	Davenport	51	250	Fontanelle	34
7	Davenport	50	261	Shenandoah	34
207	Creston	49	606	Council Bluffs	34
243	Bondurant	47	164	Sioux City	33
54	Burlington	46	302	Lake View	33
619	Ellsworth	41	313	Albion	33
233	Cedar Falls	40	19	Wapello	32
627	Ankeny	40	357	Scranton	32
150	Clinton	39	604	Valley Junction	32
33	Maquoketa	39	692	Garner	32
61	Lyons	39	135	Redfield	31
58	Decorah	37	247	Spencer	31
301	Traer	37	363	Mitchellville	31
315	Jefferson	37	323	Sac City	30
399	Mapleton	37	49	Council Bluffs	29

No.	Location	Initiations	No.	Location	Initiations
68	Eagle Grove	29	716	Waterloo	21
101	Washington	29	12	Dubuque	20
510	Moravia	29	152	Tama	20
612	Des Moines	29	365	Columbus Junction	20
676	Harris	29	572	Miles	20
97	Glenwood	28	643	Cedar Rapids	20
320	Castana	28	722	Cedar Rapids	20
567	Clinton	28	142	Independence	19
39	Sabula	27	266	Woolstock	19
208	Merrill	27	344	Rockwell	19
245	Riverside	27	452	Jewell	19
527	Clemons	27	460	Woodward	19
56	New London	26	565	Lester	19
269	Cresco	26	670	Cambria	19
330	Lake City	26	67	Gruver	18
361	Collins	26	91	Bedford	18
157	Hornick	25	155	Milton	18
355	Logan	25	176	Red Oak	18
479	Grimes	25	309	Ames	18
506	Primghar	25	316	Gilman	18
661	Fredericksburg	25	409	Griswold	18
63	Plano	24	433	Madrid	18
218	Hampton	24	551	Mt. Vernon	18
415	Sutherland	24	628	Waverly	18
417	Gladbrook	24	25	Des Moines	17
533	Sioux City	24	90	Knoxville	17
18	Marion	23	151	Belle Plaine	17
64	Chariton	23	171	Shellsburg	17
280	Dow City	23	181	Kellogg	17
408	Perry	23	221	Storm Lake	17
492	Boone	23	249	Kelley	17
608	Des Moines	23	308	Grand Junction	17
38	LeClair	22	337	Russell	17
70	Indianola	22	383	Ruthven	17
282	Sioux City	22	454	Hubbard	17
440	Forest City	22	481	Persia	17
165	Charles City	21	557	Anthon	17
385	Delta	21	616	Lake Park	17
421	Macedonia	21	649	Titonka	17
529	Rockwell City	21	709	Bronson	17
598	Arlington	21	65	Des Moines	16
615	Dike	21	119	Battle Creek	16
701	Northboro	21	134	Wesley	16

No.	Location	Initiations	No.	Location	Initiations
140	Lewis -----	16	584	Blakesburg -----	13
252	Preston -----	16	44	Iowa City -----	12
354	Churdan -----	16	62	Webster City -----	12
360	Wall Lake -----	16	169	Mount Ayr -----	12
507	Hartley -----	16	190	West Liberty -----	12
530	Lacona -----	16	235	Central City -----	12
556	New Hampton -----	16	546	Earlham -----	12
623	Graettinger -----	16	689	Salix -----	12
674	Superior -----	16	267	Harlan -----	12
688	Minburn -----	16	394	Humboldt -----	12
255	Le Mars -----	15	414	Keswick -----	12
292	Booneville -----	15	526	Hudson -----	12
388	Alta -----	15	537	Havelock -----	12
412	Lake Mills -----	15	10	Mt. Pleasant -----	11
439	Hancock -----	15	23	Bloomfield -----	11
450	Dows -----	15	110	Pacific Junction -----	11
547	Cushing -----	15	144	Prairie City -----	11
707	Postville -----	15	276	Malvern -----	11
84	Leon -----	15	279	Carroll -----	11
127	Lamoni -----	15	367	Sheldon -----	11
141	Cedar Rapids -----	15	376	Rose Hill -----	11
232	Newell -----	15	445	Klemme -----	11
73	Newton -----	14	642	Manson -----	11
100	Iowa Falls -----	14	726	Exline -----	11
114	Brooklyn -----	14	728	Lone Tree -----	11
124	Clarion -----	14	9	Ottumwa -----	10
143	Burr Oak -----	14	17	Farmington -----	10
159	Keota -----	14	28	Eldon -----	10
196	Hawarden -----	14	41	West Union -----	10
213	Geneva -----	14	43	Keokuk -----	10
256	Casey -----	14	69	Patterson -----	10
290	Elgin -----	14	76	Centerville -----	10
476	Colfax -----	14	86	De Witt -----	10
503	Woodburn -----	14	130	Afton -----	10
521	Inwood -----	14	146	Palmyra -----	10
625	Pierson -----	14	167	Plymouth -----	10
95	Osceola -----	13	219	Villisca -----	10
121	Humeston -----	13	236	Algona -----	10
125	Confidence -----	13	274	Spirit Lake -----	10
178	Dunlap -----	13	358	Grinnell -----	10
179	Toledo -----	13	411	Alpha -----	10
216	Dana -----	13	446	Pleasantville -----	10
413	Milo -----	13	478	Swan -----	10

No.	Location	Initiations	No.	Location	Initiations
690	Albert City -----	10	586	Rodney -----	10
509	Moville -----	10	624	Cleghorn -----	10
552	Wever -----	10	662	Athelstan -----	10
671	Letts -----	10			

Lodges With a Membership of Two Hundred and Over

No.	Location	Membership	No.	Location	Membership
576	Des Moines -----	556	405	Woodbine -----	256
224	Mason City -----	532	62	Webster City -----	255
72	Waterloo -----	466	309	Ames -----	253
25	Des Moines -----	402	294	Oelwein -----	251
97	Glenwood -----	401	73	Newton -----	249
588	Des Moines -----	401	179	Toledo -----	245
109	Clarinda -----	389	142	Independence -----	244
37	Davenport -----	369	330	Lake City -----	241
49	Council Bluffs -----	359	214	Stuart -----	240
716	Waterloo -----	334	612	Des Moines -----	238
643	Cedar Rapids -----	333	64	Chariton -----	236
106	Des Moines -----	332	476	Colfax -----	236
123	Marshalltown -----	332	33	Maquoketa -----	235
90	Knoxville -----	331	164	Sioux City -----	235
176	Red Oak -----	331	70	Indianola -----	231
10	Mount Pleasant -----	309	178	Dunlap -----	228
56	New London -----	309	282	Sioux City -----	227
365	Columbus Junction -----	307	74	Montezuma -----	225
55	Mount Pleasant -----	306	7	Davenport -----	224
606	Council Bluffs -----	295	68	Eagle Grove -----	223
684	Sioux City -----	295	91	Bedford -----	222
627	Ankeny -----	294	101	Washington -----	221
492	Boone -----	293	582	New Market -----	221
54	Burlington -----	292	23	Bloomfield -----	219
567	Clinton -----	290	9	Ottumwa -----	214
356	Des Moines -----	278	61	Lyons -----	214
207	Creston -----	277	170	Missouri Valley -----	214
261	Shenandoah -----	273	408	Perry -----	213
151	Belle Plaine -----	263	130	Afton -----	205
315	Jefferson -----	260	141	Cedar Rapids -----	202
31	Fort Madison -----	258	247	Spencer -----	202
98	Sigourney -----	258	529	Rockwell City -----	202
323	Sac City -----	258	250	Fontanelle -----	201
44	Iowa City -----	257	297	Moulton -----	200
187	Clear Lake -----	257	676	Harris -----	200

Stiner and Quasqueton Properties

The Grand Lodge at its last session authorized the sale of what has been known as the Stiner property near Eldon, and the Quasqueton property at Quasqueton, Iowa. The Grand Master and Grand Secretary have both tried to get an offer on said properties that would justify their sale, but without success to date. The Grand Master recently received an offer of \$650.00 for the Quasqueton property, but believing said amount inadequate the offer has not yet been accepted. I will continue my efforts to effect a sale unless the Grand Lodge deems best to make other arrangements.

District Deputy Grand Masters

The office of District Deputy Grand Master is an important position. He can, if he will, materially help the Order in his District, and be of great assistance to the Grand Master and Grand Secretary. This will require some of his time, and in accepting the office he should know what its requirements are and be willing to fulfill them.

I am indeed glad to say we have had some splendid District Deputy Grand Masters and they have rendered good service to this office by promptly looking after any matter referred to them. Am sorry I can not say the same about all of them, but there are a few who appear to think their only duty consists in installing the officers of a Lodge, and in some instances they do not even install at either term. Apparently they do not examine a report to see if it is correct, and some will not take the time to answer official communications.

I am not making this statement for the purpose of finding fault, but with the hope that the Representatives will see the necessity of recommending capable brothers for these positions. In some Districts the Representatives recommend a deputy from a certain Lodge because it is "their turn" to have the deputy. This might be all right if the Lodge had a competent man for the position who would accept it, but too often this is not the case. The name of a man, or the Lodge to which he belongs should not enter into the consideration, but the deputy should be selected solely because of his ability and willingness to perform the duties appertaining to the office. The Representative should consult with the brothers in his District, select the best man, know he will accept, and by doing so you will help the Order in general and especially in your district.

Surety Bonds

The question of a general bond to cover officers of the Grand Lodge

and such officers of Subordinate Lodges as require bond, has been discussed to some extent, but so far no steps toward definite action have been taken in this jurisdiction.

At the meeting of the Grand Secretaries at Baltimore, held during The Sovereign Grand Lodge session, the bonding question was the principal subject of discussion. I found a number of Grand Jurisdictions were using some form of a general bond. New Jersey appeared to me to have the best system; one general bond was issued covering the Grand Officers and the officers of such Subordinate Lodges as cared to avail themselves of its provisions. This was brought about by an amendment to the Constitution, but it was not made compulsory on Subordinate Lodges. This system has been in force for several years and has given such general satisfaction that nearly all of the Lodges are taking advantage of the decreased rate that can be obtained under this system.

The old system of giving a personal bond has not proved satisfactory; sometimes the bond is not good or the members may dislike to force payment by a brother member.

Under the form of bond used in this state for Grand Officers, which protects against dishonesty, the rate is 25 cents per hundred. A general bond of the same form carrying over \$100,000 could be obtained for 20 cents per hundred. The office, and not the individual, is bonded so that in case of resignation or death of any officer, his successor is automatically bonded so there would be no delay in installation, and under this system the Subordinate Lodge would state what offices were to be bonded and the amount for each and send to the Grand Secretary the amount necessary to pay for said bonds with the December report; this would bond the office for the year even though a change of officers was made during the year.

The above is known as "Form A Bond," the surety company also issues what is known as "Form C Bond," which provides the same as above, and in addition for loss through failure of the officer to perform his duties or through loss by reason of failure of the bank or trust company where funds are deposited. This form of bond would cost 40 cents per hundred.

I believe a surety bond is much safer than a personal bond, and if a surety bond is used it can be obtained cheaper under a general bonding system than the individual Lodge can purchase it.

In the Grand Jurisdictions of Ontario and Michigan the Grand Lodge bonds the Subordinate Lodges. This system has been in ef-

fect in Ontario since 1915 and for the past two years in Michigan. The officers in both jurisdictions report it a success and giving splendid satisfaction.

I would recommend that a committee be appointed to thoroughly investigate the different bonding systems, and make report of their findings and recommendations to the next session of the Grand Lodge. Should said committee decide to recommend any bonding system, that they be instructed to file with the Grand Secretary, such amendments to the Constitution as they deem necessary to put into effect their proposed system, in time to be acted upon at the next session.

Receipts—General Fund

Per capita tax	\$16,642.05
Supplies, Subordinate	5,706.30
Supplies, Rebekah	1,409.90
Charter fees, Rebekah	180.00
Second-hand paraphernalia	604.74
Prairie Center Lodge, No. 432	14.47
Banner Valley Rebekah Lodge, No. 535	4.38
Bloom Rebekah Lodge, No. 194	8.71
Tax on Grand Patriarch's jewel	2.00
Transferred from Army and Navy fund	6,084.70
Interest	512.20
Total	\$31,169.45

Receipts—Home Fund

Per capita tax	\$49,685.00
Care of residents	5,657.97
Farm products	334.71
Sundry items	1,134.25
Interest	44.68
Total	\$56,856.61

Receipts—Building Fund

Per capita tax	\$19,712.10
Interest	44.54
Total	\$19,756.64

Statement of Funds

GENERAL FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance -----	\$15,102.58
Receipts -----	24,572.55
Army and Navy fund -----	6,084.70
Interest -----	512.20
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Total -----	\$46,272.03
Disbursements -----	28,319.03
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September 1, 1920, Balance -----	\$17,953.00

HOME FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance -----	\$15,426.29
Receipts -----	56,811.93
Interest -----	44.68
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Total -----	\$72,282.90
Disbursements -----	66,457.43
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September 1, 1920, Balance -----	\$ 5,825.47

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' RELIEF FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance -----	\$ 8,028.12
Receipts -----	153.84
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Total -----	\$ 8,181.96
Disbursements -----	4,791.30
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Transferred to General Fund -----	\$ 3,390.66

GENERAL RELIEF FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance	-----	\$ 1,584.46
Interest	-----	21.04

Total	-----	\$ 1,605.50
Disbursements	-----	377.00

September 1, 1920, Balance	-----	\$ 1,228.50

WHITENACK PENNY FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance	-----	\$ 725.13
Receipts	-----	4.37
Interest	-----	9.67

Total	-----	\$ 739.17
Disbursements	-----	28.00

September 1, 1920, Balance	-----	\$ 711.17

ARMY AND NAVY FUND

September 1, 1919, Balance	-----	\$ 6,069.50
Receipts	-----	15.20

Total	-----	\$ 6,084.70
Transferred to General fund	-----	\$ 6,084.70

IOWA ODD FELLOWS MEMORIAL BUILDING FUND

Gustave Ostrom Bequest	-----	\$ 1,551.40
Phoebe Nieukirk Bequest	-----	455.26
Wallace Johnson Bequest	-----	6,868.73
Donation, Mrs. A. E. Randall-Holden	-----	5.00
Interest	-----	203.33

Total	-----	\$ 9,083.72

BUILDING FUND

Per capita tax	\$19,712.10
Interest	44.54
Total	\$19,756.64

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' FUND

By virtue of a resolution adopted at the last session of the Grand Lodge, all payments from the Soldiers' and Sailors' Fund, to reimburse Lodges, ceased on June 30, 1920. During the time the law was in effect 3,090 cards were filed in the office of the Grand Secretary, and we were notified of the discharge of 1,380 members from service.

The total amount of per capita tax collected for this fund
was \$18,384.20

There was paid out to the different Lodges for
dues \$10,633.54
And for benefits 4,360.00 14,993.54

There was turned back into the General Fund, as shown by
the Grand Secretary's books 3,390.66
Outstanding Warrants Nos. 88, 644, 1158, 1164, 1175, 1247 and
1256 24.23

Amount as shown by the Grand Treasurer \$ 3,414.89

Claims amounting to \$239.76 were not paid, some because cards were not filed as required, by law, others because the face of the certificates showed the brothers were not in good standing at the time the law was enacted, or at the date of enlistment.

Inventory of Supplies

ARTICLES	On hand last report	Bought	Total	To new Lodges	On hand	Sold	Amount for which sold
Books of Forms.....	9	20	29		9	20	\$ 21.90
Books of Odes.....	18		18		2	16	16.90
Buttons, Veteran		7	7			7	11.20
Cards and Certificates.....	306	3505	3811		868	2943	735.75
Certificates, Grand Lodge.....	121	175	296		163	133	135.75
Ceremonies, Anniversary	39	25	64		62	2	.50
Ceremonies, Funeral	44	100	144		77	67	40.45
Ceremonies, Memorial	44	25	69		51	18	11.50
Charters, Blank	58		58	6	46	6	12.00
Codes		27	27	*1	3	23	51.50
Floor Works	15	60	75		23	52	36.00
Installation Books	15	31	46		25	21	15.75
Joint Installation Books	13	250	263		41	222	166.50
Jewels, Past Grand Masters.....		2	2			2	89.25
Jewels, Rebekah		11	11			11	97.65
Jewel, Honorable Veteran		1	1			1	55.65
Jewels, Veteran		87	87			87	885.15
Jewel, Past D D. G. M.'s		1	1			1	4.75
Keys to Unwritten Work	115	3700	3815		491	3324	2,160.60
Ode Cards	324	1000	1324	60	343	921	81.95
Odes with Music	44	170	214	12	106	96	12.20
Official Certificates.....	181	700	881	6	276	599	486.65
Official Certificates, printed		149	149			149	646.00
Opening and Closing Ceremonies	25		25		23	2	1.50
Rituals	46	70	116	24	71	21	55.50
Members' Roster		1	1			1	2.00
Captain's Calls	50	60	110		26	84	21.00
Cash Books, Secretaries.....		28	28	6		22	44.00
Cash Books, Treasurer's		28	28	6		22	32.40
Constitution Books	48		48	6	32	10	10.80
Delinquent Notices	190		190		94	96	51.00
Disability Blanks	54		54		43	11	4.70
Hoodwinks.....	4	11	15		2	13	22.75
Ledgers		50	50	6		44	193.45
Petitions	201	600	801	6	397	398	216.15
Punches	7	13	20		10	10	9.50
Question Books	51	50	101		61	40	22.90
Records		82	82	6		76	304.00
Report Books	18	152	170		112	58	70.25
Robert's Rules of Order.....	4	8	12			12	14.10
Roll Books	63		63		46	17	17.55
Seals		14	14	6		8	22.50
Treasurer's Orders, Subordinate.....	89	150	239		162	77	89.75
Treasurer's Receipts, Subordinate.....	87		87		55	32	22.90
Treasurer's Orders and Receipts, Rebekah	168	250	418	12	274	132	73.00
Auditing Books		8	8			8	16.00
Repairing Seals		3	3			3	6.00
Changing Numerals		1	1			1	2.00
Visitors' Registers		11	11	6		5	8.50
Black Books		5	5			5	6.45
Total.....							\$7,116.20

*To Grand Master.

Receipts by Lodges

No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home tax	Fund	Total
1	Burlington.....	\$ 8.05	\$ 32.20	\$ 96.70	\$ 38.70	\$ 175.65
2	Dubuque.....	14.55	25.40	78.65	31.95	150.55
3	Keosauqua.....		35.40	105.90	42.30	183.60
4	Fairfield.....	6.95	40.30	121.30	48.60	217.15
5	Muscatine.....		34.80	104.55	41.85	181.20
6						
7	Davenport.....	18.65	51.95	157.20	63.15	290.95
8	Tipton.....	.65	45.00	135.25	54.15	235.05
9	Ottumwa.....	2.65	53.00	159.00	63.60	278.25
10	Mount Pleasant..		26.20	228.95	91.65	396.80
11	Dubuque.....		6.75	18.00	6.75	31.50
12	Dubuque.....		25.45	76.95	30.90	133.30
13	Keokuk.....	10.20	42.50	127.25	50.85	230.80
14						
15	Tingley.....	3.20	17.15	51.40	20.55	92.30
16						
17	Farmington.....	9.50	29.15	87.40	34.95	161.00
18	Marion.....	3.60	46.40	139.40	55.80	245.20
19	Wapello.....	11.25	34.00	103.25	41.55	190.05
20	New Hartford.....		10.40	26.00	7.80	44.20
21	Chapin.....	9.65	12.05	36.05	14.40	72.15
22	Bonaparte.....		9.85	29.60	11.85	51.30
23	Bloomfield.....	11.20	53.25	160.00	64.05	288.50
24	Agency.....	4.50	11.65	34.65	13.80	64.60
25	Des Moines.....	14.40	102.30	306.30	122.40	545.40
26	Eddyville.....	1.40	24.10	72.10	28.80	126.40
27	Troy.....	1.50	21.00	63.00	25.20	110.70
28	Eldon.....	.25	22.65	68.15	27.30	118.35
29	Garnavillo.....		2.75	8.25	3.30	14.30
30						
31	Fort Madison.....	12.70	56.40	171.90	69.30	310.30
32	Richland.....	8.45	33.75	101.00	40.35	183.55
33	Maquoketa.....	133.20	58.45	175.45	70.20	437.30
34	Lawton.....		5.20	15.45	6.15	26.80
35	Keystone.....	.75	19.65	59.15	23.70	103.25
36	Birmingham.....		13.30	40.05	16.05	69.40
37	Davenport.....	32.50	89.40	269.15	107.85	498.90
38	LeClaire.....	11.50	14.10	43.35	17.55	86.50
39	Sabula.....	6.15	24.55	75.30	30.45	136.45
40	Anamosa.....	8.50	32.10	96.60	38.70	175.90
41	West Union.....	12.55	22.05	66.30	26.55	127.45
42	Clinton.....	8.25	35.05	105.30	42.15	190.75
43	Keokuk.....	14.65	28.85	86.60	34.65	164.75
44	Iowa City.....	42.15	62.60	188.35	75.45	368.55
45	Glasgow.....		9.75	29.25	11.70	50.70
46	Delhi.....	.85	17.35	52.10	20.85	91.15
47	Kirkville.....	21.75	17.15	51.40	20.55	110.85
48						
49	Council Bluffs.....	9.70	87.50	263.25	105.45	465.90
50	Colesburg.....	2.00	22.70	67.95	27.15	119.80
51	Cedar Rapids.....	2.20	35.05	105.30	42.15	184.70
52	Dumont.....	18.25	22.05	66.05	26.40	132.75
53	Diagonal.....		16.20	40.80	12.30	69.30
54	Burlington.....	21.50	71.80	215.80	86.40	395.50
55	Mount Pleasant..	9.70	73.35	221.10	88.65	392.80
56	New London.....	14.95	74.10	223.35	89.55	401.95
57	Trenton.....		3.15	8.40	3.15	14.70
58	Decorah.....	38.00	36.65	110.65	44.40	229.70
59						
60	Douglass.....	6.85	8.35	25.10	10.05	50.35
61	Lyons.....	10.70	51.55	155.30	62.25	279.80
62	Webster City.....	5.00	63.60	190.60	76.20	335.40
63	Plano.....	3.65	7.00	22.50	9.30	42.45
64	Chariton.....	18.70	56.15	169.40	67.95	312.20
65	Des Moines.....	7.95	44.50	134.00	53.70	240.15
66	Montrose.....	1.10	8.40	25.15	10.05	44.70
67	Gruver.....	49.55	19.35	58.60	23.55	151.05

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
68	Eagle Grove.....	18.10	53.10	160.10	64.20	295.50
69	Patterson.....	10.55	11.50	35.00	14.10	71.15
70	Indianola.....	1.00	55.05	166.05	66.60	288.70
71	Lisbon.....	9.70	12.75	38.50	15.45	76.40
72	Waterloo.....	34.35	113.05	340.30	136.35	624.05
73	Newton.....	.25	60.70	182.45	73.05	316.45
74	Montezuma.....	2.00	56.40	169.15	67.65	295.20
75	Strawberry Point	2.10	15.90	47.65	19.05	84.70
76	Centerville.....	22.70	48.20	144.70	57.90	273.50
77	Eldora.....	10.10	28.90	86.90	34.80	160.70
78	Hamilton.....		11.00	33.00	13.20	57.20
79	Boone.....	17.75	24.45	72.95	29.10	144.25
80	Atlantic.....	10.65	33.20	101.95	41.25	187.05
81	Albia.....	2.15	32.25	97.00	38.85	170.25
82						
83	Vinton.....		37.10	111.35	44.55	193.00
84	Leon.....	6.70	35.90	108.15	43.35	194.10
85	Fort Dodge.....	51.15	38.75	117.75	47.40	255.05
86	DeWitt.....	2.35	15.95	47.95	19.20	85.45
87	Pella.....	3.90	7.20	21.70	8.70	41.50
88	Drakesville.....	1.40	9.55	28.80	11.55	51.30
89	Charleston.....		4.75	14.25	5.70	24.70
90	Knoxville.....	4.90	80.35	241.85	96.90	424.00
91	Bedford.....	21.25	50.90	154.15	61.95	288.25
92	Wellman.....	4.00	26.40	79.15	31.65	141.20
93	Sidney.....	2.60	35.70	106.95	42.75	188.00
94	Rolfe.....	6.40	28.15	84.90	34.05	153.50
95	Osceola.....	7.70	19.25	58.50	23.55	109.00
96	Adel.....	3.00	12.40	37.40	15.00	67.80
97	Glenwood.....	3.00	99.05	297.55	119.10	518.70
98	Sigourney.....	4.50	64.35	193.10	77.25	339.20
99						
100	Iowa Falls.....	8.55	43.10	129.60	51.90	233.15
101	Washington.....	10.75	54.20	162.95	65.25	293.15
102	Decatur.....	7.80	26.30	79.05	31.65	144.80
103	Corydon.....	4.25	22.00	65.75	26.25	118.25
104	Nevada.....	12.90	28.10	84.60	33.90	159.50
105	Charter Oak.....	4.30	12.40	37.65	15.15	69.50
106	Des Moines.....	17.90	83.00	249.00	99.60	449.50
107	Wilton Junction..	11.00	13.45	40.20	16.05	80.70
108	Prescott.....		10.65	31.90	12.75	55.30
109	Clarinda.....	51.40	93.65	282.15	113.10	540.30
110	Pacific Junction..	3.00	14.10	42.85	17.25	77.20
111	McGregor.....	.90	24.30	73.30	29.40	127.90
112	Pocahontas.....	4.25	34.90	104.65	41.85	185.65
113	Guthrie Center...	7.75	27.15	81.40	32.55	148.85
114	Brooklyn.....	16.30	46.25	139.50	55.95	258.00
115	Chillicothe.....	.50	8.75	26.25	10.50	46.00
116	Keokuk.....	1.00	15.40	46.15	18.45	81.00
117	Monticello.....	.85	13.05	39.05	15.60	68.55
118	Lacelle.....		15.50	38.65	11.55	65.70
119	Battle Creek.....	11.25	41.45	124.95	50.10	227.75
120	Batavia.....	.25	12.45	37.45	15.00	65.15
121	Humeston.....	9.70	31.80	95.80	38.40	175.70
122	Manning.....		4.10	12.35	4.95	21.40
123	Marshalltown.....	64.70	80.00	241.00	96.60	482.30
124	Clarion.....	66.05	47.85	143.85	57.60	315.35
125	Confidence.....		*24.85	41.50	8.25	74.60
126	Guttenberg.....	.85	9.75	29.25	11.70	51.55
127	Lamoni.....	3.25	17.00	51.50	20.70	92.45
128	Oskaloosa.....	10.25	30.40	91.40	36.60	168.65
129	Ottumwa.....	7.80	35.25	105.75	42.30	191.10
130	Afton.....	4.80	51.40	154.15	61.65	272.00
131	Carlisle.....		16.50	49.50	19.80	85.80
132	Earlville.....	1.25	9.25	27.75	11.10	49.35
133	Ontario.....	1.00	6.55	19.80	7.95	35.30
134	Wesley.....	13.90	20.20	60.70	24.30	119.10
135	Redfield.....	49.60	27.90	84.90	34.20	196.60

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
136	Winterset.....	4.50	31.60	94.85	37.95	168.90
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138	Hawkeye.....	8.60	24.05	72.05	28.80	133.50
139	Oakville.....	3.20	26.15	78.65	31.50	139.50
140	Lewis.....	7.30	44.25	133.50	53.55	238.60
141	Cedar Rapids.....	12.90	49.30	148.30	59.40	269.90
142	Independence.....	13.40	59.35	178.60	71.55	322.90
143	Burr Oak.....	5.25	26.30	79.05	31.65	142.25
144	Prairie City.....	53.50	41.00	123.25	49.35	267.10
145	Panora.....	1.00	19.00	57.25	22.95	100.20
146	Palmyra.....	3.35	10.55	32.05	12.90	58.85
147	Wyoming.....	3.90	9.15	27.90	11.25	52.20
148	Marengo.....	.75	44.80	134.30	53.70	233.55
149	Manchester.....	6.15	44.65	133.65	53.40	237.85
150	Clinton.....	29.30	33.35	101.10	40.65	204.40
151	Belle Plaine.....	12.55	65.15	195.65	78.30	351.65
152	Tama.....	62.65	39.30	119.05	47.85	268.85
153	Ollie.....	.....	23.60	59.00	17.70	100.30
154	Winfield.....	9.10	29.80	88.80	35.40	163.10
155	Milton.....	11.25	28.10	84.35	33.75	157.45
156	Monona.....	4.85	14.00	42.00	16.80	77.65
157	Hornick.....	4.00	25.55	65.40	20.25	115.20
158	Jesup.....	1.10	7.85	23.60	9.45	42.00
159	Keota.....	9.65	41.85	125.85	50.40	227.75
160	Chelsea.....	1.10	8.90	26.90	10.80	47.70
161	Gray.....	.....	10.25	30.75	12.30	53.30
162	Teeds Grove.....	11.30	11.75	35.25	14.10	72.40
163	Brandon.....	2.70	16.50	49.50	19.80	88.50
164	Sioux City.....	5.55	55.60	167.85	67.35	296.35
165	Charles City.....	5.50	33.60	101.35	40.65	181.10
166	Mechanicsville.....	5.85	17.75	53.25	21.30	98.15
167	Plymouth.....	1.00	27.95	83.95	33.60	146.50
168	Monroe.....	2.20	20.10	60.35	24.15	106.80
169	Mount Ayr.....	32.55	38.80	117.80	47.40	236.55
170	Missouri Valley...	12.70	53.50	160.35	64.05	290.60
171	Shellsburg.....	7.55	29.05	87.55	35.10	159.25
172	Rossville.....	.....	8.75	26.25	10.50	45.50
173	Linby.....	.....	15.55	46.55	18.60	80.70
174	Mingo.....	14.55	40.45	99.80	29.25	184.05
175	Fremont.....	1.30	16.40	49.40	19.80	86.90
176	Red Oak.....	29.15	81.10	243.85	97.65	451.75
177	Randalia.....	.....	11.65	34.90	13.95	60.50
178	Dunlap.....	1.30	56.85	170.60	68.25	297.00
179	Toledo.....	7.50	59.90	180.15	72.15	319.70
180	Pomeroy.....	11.00	12.35	37.35	15.00	75.70
181	Kellogg.....	3.10	27.55	83.05	33.30	147.00
182	Waukon.....	.50	19.00	57.00	22.80	99.30
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185	Center Point.....	4.50	12.20	36.70	14.70	68.10
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187	Clear Lake.....	17.90	63.95	191.95	76.80	350.60
188	Cherokee.....	18.55	36.65	110.15	44.10	209.45
189	Ackley.....	.....	4.95	14.70	5.85	25.50
190	West Liberty.....	24.40	41.80	125.80	50.40	242.40
191	Farlin.....	19.35	17.60	52.85	21.15	110.95
192	Victor.....	4.00	13.75	41.50	16.65	75.90
193	Millerton.....	.60	15.25	45.25	18.00	79.10
194	Osterdock.....	.....	18.25	45.60	13.65	77.50
195	Osage.....	12.90	24.95	74.70	29.85	142.40
196	Hawarden.....	30.60	40.65	121.65	48.60	241.50
197	Hamburg.....	1.70	45.65	136.90	54.75	239.00
198	Bladensburg.....	1.00	10.15	29.65	11.70	52.50
199	Durham.....	4.70	34.15	102.15	40.80	181.80
200	Nora Springs.....	9.15	24.10	71.85	28.65	133.75
201	Crawfordsville.....	6.75	20.00	7.95	34.70
202	What Cheer.....	6.60	19.85	7.95	34.40
203	Fonda.....	27.50	25.60	77.10	30.90	161.10

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
204	Kingsley.....	12.30	17.30	51.80	20.70	102.10
205	Brighton.....	.65	19.95	59.95	24.00	104.55
206	Corning.....	32.70	38.25	116.75	47.10	234.80
207	Creston.....	56.45	62.20	188.95	76.05	383.65
208	Hinton.....	.60	41.45	125.70	50.55	218.30
209	Honey Creek.....	6.10	21.25	63.75	25.50	116.60
210	Lineville.....		41.25	101.75	29.70	172.70
211	Marshalltown.....	1.00	9.00	27.00	10.80	47.80
212	Van Wert.....	2.35	15.15	46.15	18.60	82.25
213	Geneva.....	6.65	11.80	36.05	14.55	69.05
214	Stuart.....	.75	62.70	187.20	74.70	325.35
215	Dexter.....	.90	25.15	75.40	30.15	131.60
216	Dana.....	1.50	14.80	45.30	18.30	79.90
217	Brayton.....	2.15	11.85	35.60	14.25	63.85
218	Hampton.....	18.55	33.70	101.20	40.50	193.95
219	Villisca.....	6.70	42.10	126.35	50.55	225.70
220	Avoca.....	1.90	21.20	63.70	25.50	112.30
221	Storm Lake.....	2.90	41.55	125.55	50.40	220.40
222	Blairsburg.....	3.45	23.85	71.10	28.35	126.75
223	Stockport.....	3.55	12.90	38.90	15.60	70.95
224	Mason City.....	65.35	130.45	392.20	157.05	745.05
225	Union.....	2.00	30.15	90.90	36.45	159.50
226	Kalo.....	1.00	16.25	48.50	19.35	85.10
227	Springville.....		21.10	63.35	25.35	109.80
228	Braddyville.....	1.00	10.05	30.30	12.15	53.50
229						
230	Boxholm.....	1.50	10.90	32.15	12.75	57.30
231	New Sharon.....	3.10	12.75	38.25	15.30	69.40
232	Newell.....	6.25	40.25	120.50	48.15	215.15
233	Cedar Falls.....	48.45	28.10	85.85	34.65	197.05
234	Princeton.....	4.55	19.15	57.40	22.95	104.05
235	Central City.....	27.00	22.85	69.10	27.75	146.70
236	Algona.....	3.60	25.35	76.35	30.60	135.90
237	Cromwell.....		10.25	30.75	12.30	53.30
238	Bentonsport.....	1.25	7.05	21.05	8.40	37.75
239	West Grove.....	3.15	5.00	15.00	6.00	29.15
240	Thayer.....		5.50	16.50	6.60	28.60
241						
242	Liscomb.....	2.20	32.95	98.70	39.45	173.30
243	Bondurant.....	9.20	26.20	79.95	32.25	147.60
244	Mount Auburn.....	1.75	17.60	53.10	21.30	93.75
245	Riverside.....	2.45	16.50	50.00	20.10	89.05
246						
247	Spencer.....	65.70	45.85	139.10	55.95	306.60
248	Dallas Center.....	13.00	31.85	95.35	38.10	178.30
249	Kelley.....	.85	17.60	46.30	15.00	79.75
250	Fontanelle.....	21.15	48.00	144.75	58.05	271.95
251	Sibley.....	.95	19.15	57.90	23.25	101.25
252	Preston.....	1.00	23.10	69.85	28.05	122.00
253	Emmetsburg.....	3.60	18.00	54.50	21.90	98.00
254						
255	LeMars.....	23.85	35.90	108.40	43.50	211.65
256	Casey.....	.50	26.50	79.50	31.80	138.30
257	Van Meter.....	2.20	10.10	30.10	12.00	54.40
258	Riverton.....		20.90	62.65	25.05	108.60
259	Ida Grove.....	5.40	30.10	90.35	36.15	162.00
260	State Center.....	.25	7.80	23.30	9.30	40.65
261	Shenandoah.....	15.60	62.40	189.15	76.05	343.20
262	Anita.....	15.55	39.40	120.15	48.45	223.55
263	South English.....		15.00	45.00	18.00	78.00
264	Beacon.....	.85	7.15	21.40	8.55	37.95
265	Belmond.....	9.50	31.15	93.40	37.35	171.40
266	Woolstock.....		28.20	85.20	34.20	147.60
267	Harlan.....	4.00	49.80	149.30	59.70	262.80
268	Burlington.....	4.80	37.00	111.00	44.40	197.20
269	Cresco.....	17.90	41.60	125.10	50.10	234.70
270	Shell Rock.....	11.25	35.60	106.85	42.75	196.45

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
271	Bridgewater.....	12.20	28.85	86.60	34.65	162.30
272	Floris.....	.50	9.05	27.30	10.95	47.80
273	Blockton.....	-----	12.65	37.90	15.15	65.70
274	Spirit Lake.....	8.10	23.25	70.00	28.05	129.40
275	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
276	Malvern.....	.60	15.70	47.20	18.90	82.40
277	Kingston.....	4.85	10.00	30.25	12.15	57.25
278	Highland Center.....	-----	12.00	36.00	14.40	62.40
279	Carroll.....	7.10	31.35	93.85	37.50	169.80
280	Dow City.....	12.90	29.15	87.90	35.25	165.20
281	Ogden.....	4.65	40.50	121.25	48.45	214.85
282	Sioux City.....	44.60	54.10	163.10	65.40	327.20
283	Elberon.....	5.25	17.50	53.00	21.30	97.05
284	Washta.....	7.00	28.50	85.50	34.20	155.20
285	Grundy Center....	10.85	15.15	45.65	18.30	89.95
286	Alden.....	1.00	16.65	49.90	19.95	87.50
287	Liberty Center.....	-----	15.10	45.35	18.15	78.60
288	Cantril.....	11.90	22.10	66.35	26.55	126.90
289	North Liberty.....	-----	6.10	18.35	7.35	31.80
290	Elgin.....	1.30	12.65	38.65	15.60	68.20
291	Glidden.....	1.35	10.80	32.55	13.05	57.75
292	Booneville.....	8.95	15.20	45.95	18.45	88.55
293	Caledonia.....	-----	3.60	9.60	3.60	16.80
294	Oelwein.....	32.20	57.95	175.45	70.50	336.10
295	Libertyville.....	-----	12.00	36.00	14.40	62.40
296	Dedham.....	-----	10.20	30.45	12.15	52.80
297	Moulton.....	24.15	48.95	147.20	58.95	279.25
298	Sandyville.....	-----	8.25	24.75	9.90	42.90
299	Troy Mills.....	8.80	13.85	41.60	16.65	80.90
300	Polk City.....	5.35	25.55	76.30	30.45	137.65
301	Traer.....	27.30	17.25	53.50	21.75	119.80
302	Lake View.....	25.90	18.50	56.00	22.50	122.90
303	Waucoma.....	2.10	10.00	30.00	12.00	54.10
304	Elkader.....	1.00	1.80	4.80	1.80	9.40
305	Lehigh.....	3.00	17.35	51.85	20.70	92.90
306	Hopeville.....	1.90	5.25	15.75	6.30	29.20
307	Marysville.....	5.90	7.95	23.95	9.60	47.40
308	Grand Junction...	12.75	31.25	94.25	37.80	176.05
309	Ames.....	144.95	61.15	184.15	73.80	464.05
310	Allerton.....	.70	17.35	52.10	20.85	91.00
311	Waukee.....	7.35	18.20	46.10	14.10	85.75
312	Manilla.....	-----	1.20	3.20	1.20	5.60
313	Albion.....	12.50	16.45	51.20	20.85	101.00
314	Davis City.....	1.90	23.50	69.75	27.75	122.90
315	Jefferson.....	11.20	59.75	181.00	72.75	324.70
316	Gilman.....	2.35	27.10	81.35	32.55	143.35
317	Perlee.....	-----	6.50	19.50	7.80	33.80
318	Greene.....	27.90	26.10	78.35	31.35	163.70
319	Pulaski.....	-----	5.35	16.10	6.45	27.90
320	Castana.....	3.25	44.00	132.00	52.80	232.05
321	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
322	Lynnville.....	3.95	21.15	63.40	25.35	113.85
323	Sac City.....	7.30	62.25	187.50	75.15	332.20
324	Epworth.....	11.55	10.90	32.65	13.05	68.15
325	North English.....	9.75	20.90	63.15	25.35	119.15
326	Sperry.....	-----	11.25	33.75	13.50	58.50
327	Walnut.....	.75	14.65	43.90	17.55	76.85
328	Urbana.....	-----	11.45	34.45	13.80	59.70
329	Derby.....	5.05	14.55	43.80	17.55	80.95
330	Lake City.....	15.00	57.40	173.15	69.45	315.00
331	Yorktown.....	1.85	12.25	36.75	14.70	65.55
332	Ringsted.....	-----	8.00	24.00	9.60	41.60
333	Martinsburg.....	1.20	10.30	30.55	12.15	54.20
334	Clermont.....	-----	6.25	14.75	3.90	24.90
335	Searsboro.....	-----	19.45	58.20	23.25	100.90
336	Lytton.....	1.50	33.00	99.00	39.60	173.10
337	Russell.....	.65	25.70	77.95	31.35	135.65
338	Sumner.....	-----	12.90	38.90	15.60	67.40

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
339	Fulton.....	20.50	61.75	24.75	107.00
340	Olin.....	.....	1.05	2.80	1.05	4.90
341	Canton.....	.....	2.90	8.65	3.45	15.00
342	Buffalo Center.....	1.60	6.85	20.60	8.25	37.30
343	Oto.....	40.15	18.85	56.85	22.80	138.65
344	Rockwell.....	11.55	70.85	177.20	53.25	312.85
345	Elkport.....	.....	7.25	21.75	8.70	37.70
346	Wiota.....	2.00	13.90	42.15	16.95	75.00
347	Swedesburg.....	7.05	17.45	52.45	21.00	97.95
348	Adair.....	1.85	13.90	41.65	16.65	74.05
349	Curlew.....	.....	10.20	25.70	7.80	43.70
350	Selma.....	.85	14.90	44.65	17.85	78.25
351	Clarksville.....	24.55	36.25	108.75	43.50	213.05
352	Seymour.....	7.35	32.80	98.30	39.30	177.75
353	Harper.....	.....	4.80	14.30	5.70	24.80
354	Churdan.....	16.75	23.95	71.95	28.80	141.45
355	Logan.....	9.45	47.15	141.90	56.85	255.35
356	Des Moines.....	23.50	65.90	198.90	79.80	368.10
357	Scranton.....	10.00	33.80	102.55	41.25	187.60
358	Grinnell.....	7.80	41.95	125.95	50.40	226.10
359	Marcus.....	5.70	*75.90	117.40	22.65	221.65
360	Wall Lake.....	.....	6.80	20.30	8.10	35.20
361	Collins.....	9.70	16.05	48.80	19.65	94.20
362	Marble Rock.....	15.90	15.00	45.00	18.00	93.90
363	Mitchellville.....	16.25	40.95	123.70	49.65	230.55
364	Millersburg.....	.....	15.80	47.55	19.05	82.40
365	Columbus Jct.....	5.80	74.95	225.45	90.30	396.50
366	Marne.....	.....	*29.20	42.50	7.05	78.75
367	Sheldon.....	6.70	20.00	60.25	24.15	111.10
368	Williamsburg.....	2.50	33.60	100.85	40.35	177.30
369	Malcom.....	.....	25.65	76.90	30.75	133.30
370	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
371	Dawson.....	.....	9.85	29.60	11.85	51.30
372	Luton.....	.....	14.30	43.05	17.25	74.60
373	Hillsboro.....	.....	7.35	22.10	8.85	38.30
374	Meriden.....	1.50	10.20	30.70	12.30	54.70
375	Greenfield.....	13.35	39.85	119.60	47.85	220.65
376	Rose Hill.....	.....	20.30	61.05	24.45	105.80
377	Norwalk.....	.....	6.05	18.05	7.20	31.30
378	Northwood.....	6.60	19.20	57.45	22.95	106.20
379	Mediapolis.....	12.00	21.75	65.00	25.95	124.70
380	Onawa.....	.70	28.35	85.10	34.05	148.20
381	Douds-Leando.....	14.20	10.95	32.95	13.20	71.30
382	Mount Etna.....	.85	16.90	41.75	12.15	71.65
383	Ruthven.....	4.35	28.55	86.05	34.50	153.45
384	Slater.....	12.15	20.75	62.25	24.90	120.05
385	Delta.....	2.20	20.85	62.85	25.20	111.10
386	Reinbeck.....	59.10	28.90	92.40	38.10	218.50
387	Galva.....	.....	10.25	30.75	12.30	53.30
388	Alta.....	13.75	25.40	76.40	30.60	146.15
389	Little Sioux.....	1.10	17.00	51.00	20.40	89.50
390	Farnhamville.....	.....	14.55	36.25	10.80	61.60
391	Nashua.....	31.65	36.20	108.20	43.20	219.25
392	Mondamin.....	.....	20.05	60.05	24.00	104.10
393	Denison.....	.65	5.55	14.80	5.55	26.55
394	Humboldt.....	7.55	35.90	108.15	43.35	194.95
395	Low Moor.....	.25	6.75	20.25	8.10	35.35
396	Audubon.....	9.95	25.15	75.40	30.15	140.65
397	Hastings.....	3.65	21.65	64.90	25.95	116.15
398	Onslow.....	1.40	8.75	26.25	10.50	46.90
399	Mapleton.....	23.75	34.60	105.35	42.45	206.15
400	DeSoto.....	2.70	11.80	30.50	9.60	54.60
401	Shelby.....	.....	26.80	80.55	32.25	139.60
402	Gowrie.....	.....	4.15	12.40	4.95	21.50
403	Silver City.....	3.50	17.20	51.70	20.70	93.10
404	Norway.....	4.20	12.45	4.95	21.60
405	Woodbine.....	12.05	63.25	190.00	76.05	341.35

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
406	Macksburg.....		36.20	108.70	43.50	188.40
407	Lenox.....	1.75	10.00	29.75	11.85	53.35
408	Perry.....	17.70	52.20	156.95	62.85	289.70
409	Griswold.....	10.50	38.00	114.25	45.75	208.50
410	Neola.....		13.15	39.40	15.75	68.30
411	Alpha.....	5.20	9.40	28.90	11.70	55.20
412	Lake Mills.....	3.90	30.35	91.35	36.60	162.20
413	Milo.....	27.70	17.50	52.75	21.15	119.10
414	Keswick.....	.85	21.35	64.10	25.65	111.95
415	Sutherland.....	9.65	20.65	61.90	24.75	116.95
416	St. Charles.....	1.30	13.30	39.80	15.90	70.30
417	Hartwick.....	.50	5.00	15.00	6.00	26.50
418	Greeley.....		25.20	75.70	30.30	131.20
419						
420	Randolph.....		21.40	64.15	25.65	111.20
421	Macedonia.....	9.45	27.10	81.60	32.70	150.85
422	Sheffield.....	8.80	19.65	58.90	23.55	110.90
423	Estherville.....	1.60	17.55	52.80	21.15	93.10
424	Lucas.....		3.65	10.90	4.35	18.90
425	Kellerton.....		17.40	52.40	21.00	90.80
426	Mount Sterling.....	7.65	13.60	40.60	16.20	78.05
427	Salina.....	1.50	4.25	12.75	5.10	23.60
428	Linden.....	2.35	26.05	78.30	31.35	138.05
429	Blanchard.....	1.25	9.20	27.45	10.95	48.85
430						
431	Knowlton.....	2.30	9.90	29.65	11.85	53.70
432						
433	Madrid.....	6.15	31.10	94.10	37.80	169.15
434	Sanborn.....	8.45	12.60	37.85	15.15	74.05
435	Spring Hill.....	1.00	14.40	43.40	17.40	76.20
436	Bristow.....	3.35	6.05	18.05	7.20	34.65
437	Garwin.....	2.25	10.75	32.25	12.90	58.15
438	Lovilia.....	5.85	8.10	24.85	10.05	48.85
439	Hancock.....	7.00	25.20	75.95	30.45	138.60
440	Forest City.....	30.60	27.95	84.20	33.75	176.50
441	Weldon.....	5.70	17.50	44.45	13.65	81.30
442	Oakland.....	4.75	15.15	45.65	18.30	83.85
443	Henderson.....		9.60	28.85	11.55	50.00
444	Chester.....	1.70	14.60	43.35	17.25	76.90
445	Klemme.....	2.15	12.45	31.70	9.75	56.05
446	Pleasantville.....	6.00	16.80	51.05	20.55	94.40
447	Odebolt.....	5.00	27.00	81.00	32.40	145.40
448	Grand Mound.....		19.95	59.95	24.00	103.90
449	Hull.....	.75	12.80	38.55	15.45	67.55
450	Dows.....	44.60	15.95	48.20	19.35	128.10
451						
452	Jewell.....	3.35	20.25	61.25	24.60	109.45
453	Sewal.....	8.80	9.90	29.65	11.85	60.20
454	Hubbard.....	4.50	19.90	60.15	24.15	108.70
455	Coin.....	3.10	40.65	122.65	49.20	215.60
456	Elliott.....	5.35	13.05	39.05	15.60	73.05
457	Pisgah.....	9.35	21.75	65.50	26.25	122.85
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459	Coon Rapids.....		9.25	27.75	11.10	48.10
460	Woodward.....	5.60	49.45	148.45	59.40	262.90
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462	Mount Hamill.....		11.45	34.20	13.65	59.30
463	Maxwell.....	3.00	27.15	81.65	32.70	144.50
464						
465	Sloan.....	5.75	12.00	35.75	14.25	67.75
466	Rippey.....	.85	32.75	98.50	39.45	171.55
467	Beaman.....		13.10	38.85	15.45	67.40
468	Abingdon.....		16.00	48.00	19.20	83.20
469	Lohrville.....	8.80	32.75	98.00	39.15	178.70
470	Correctionville.....	13.55	32.95	98.95	39.60	185.05
471	Gladbrook.....	18.40	16.15	49.15	19.80	103.50
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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
474	Rockford.....	3.00	11.85	35.60	14.25	64.70
475	Early.....	1.00	14.65	43.90	17.55	77.10
476	Colfax.....	11.40	58.70	176.20	70.50	316.80
477	Givin.....	7.00	19.20	48.00	14.40	88.60
478	Swan.....	13.10	29.30	87.80	35.10	165.30
479	Grimes.....	3.65	23.45	70.45	28.20	125.75
480	Rock Rapids.....	42.70	41.25	125.00	50.25	259.20
481	Persia.....	.....	16.35	49.85	20.10	86.30
482	Bouton.....	.50	11.60	34.85	13.95	60.90
483	Paullina.....	2.75	18.95	56.95	22.80	101.45
484	Renwick.....	7.30	25.45	75.95	30.30	139.00
485	Cincinnati.....	11.60	24.10	72.35	28.95	137.00
486	Cambridge.....	5.35	17.95	53.70	21.45	98.45
487	Murray.....	.65	17.95	53.70	21.45	93.75
488	Melbourne.....	1.85	16.85	50.60	20.25	89.55
489	Massena.....	7.75	24.20	70.15	26.85	128.95
490	Norwood.....	.....	17.90	53.65	21.45	93.00
491	Milford.....	1.00	7.10	21.60	8.70	38.40
492	Boone.....	32.45	70.30	211.80	84.90	399.45
493	Bayard.....	1.70	15.00	45.25	18.15	80.10
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495	Aurelia.....	6.50	20.15	60.40	24.15	111.20
496	Rock Valley.....	.85	11.85	35.60	14.25	62.55
497	Iconium.....	.....	3.00	9.00	3.60	15.60
498	Walker.....	4.95	13.30	39.80	15.90	73.95
499	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
500	Luverne.....	.....	7.70	22.95	9.15	39.80
501	Taintor.....	1.70	12.70	37.95	15.15	67.50
502	Ireton.....	13.45	20.90	62.40	24.90	121.65
503	Woodburn.....	6.25	18.40	55.15	22.05	101.85
504	West Bend.....	.....	16.90	50.90	20.40	88.20
505	Oxford.....	2.00	12.10	36.35	14.55	65.00
506	Primghar.....	1.45	20.25	62.00	25.05	108.75
507	Hartley.....	19.70	22.75	69.00	27.75	139.20
508	Kalona.....	1.80	7.25	21.75	8.70	39.50
509	Moville.....	.....	19.45	49.80	15.45	84.70
510	Moravia.....	26.95	27.40	83.40	33.60	171.35
511	Goldfield.....	3.55	23.40	70.40	28.20	125.55
512	Bagley.....	4.00	27.45	82.20	32.85	146.50
513	Little Rock.....	8.40	21.00	6.30	35.70
514	Fayette.....	12.95	13.15	39.65	15.90	81.65
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517	Lanesboro.....	3.75	12.85	38.35	15.30	70.25
518	Orient.....	.50	11.35	34.10	13.65	59.60
519	Rhodes.....	1.00	12.15	36.40	14.55	64.10
520	Alburnette.....	.....	4.75	14.25	5.70	24.70
521	Inwood.....	2.35	13.15	40.40	16.35	72.25
522	Homer.....	24.10	11.95	36.70	14.85	87.60
523	Bradgate.....	.....	6.50	19.50	7.80	33.80
524	Quimby.....	8.25	24.70	74.20	29.70	136.85
525	Hopkinton.....	1.00	9.05	27.05	10.80	47.90
526	Hudson.....	16.30	29.60	89.35	35.85	171.10
527	Clemons.....	.....	13.80	42.30	17.10	73.20
528	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
529	Rockwell City.....	11.90	48.40	145.90	58.50	264.70
530	Lacona.....	17.75	16.90	51.65	20.85	107.15
531	Whiting.....	11.25	36.55	110.05	44.10	201.95
532	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
533	Sioux City.....	31.75	30.95	93.45	37.50	193.65
534	Bertram.....	.....	5.10	15.35	6.15	26.60
535	Goodell.....	1.35	*25.35	36.95	6.15	69.80
536	Hansell.....	4.65	12.70	37.95	15.15	70.45
537	Havelock.....	6.00	34.50	104.25	41.85	186.60
538	Alvord.....	9.50	21.40	64.15	25.65	120.70
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540	Auburn.....	2.80	13.35	40.10	16.05	72.30
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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
542	Cumberland.....	11.35	40.95	122.45	48.90	223.65
543	Galt.....	7.80	15.20	45.95	18.45	87.40
544	Bancroft.....	.....	5.40	16.40	6.60	28.40
545	Blencoe.....	2.00	13.20	39.45	15.75	70.40
546	Earlham.....	.25	22.95	69.20	27.75	120.15
547	Cushing.....	.45	20.35	61.10	24.45	106.35
548	Hiteman.....	2.60	30.50	91.75	36.75	161.60
549	Maynard.....	9.30	11.90	35.90	14.40	71.50
550	Winthrop.....	2.20	31.80	95.55	38.25	167.80
551	Mt Vernon.....	22.90	39.90	119.90	48.00	230.70
552	Wever.....	8.80	21.30	63.80	25.50	119.40
553	Conway.....	2.50	17.00	50.75	20.25	90.50
554	Ellston.....	.....	17.40	52.40	21.00	90.80
555	Mystic.....	5.50	22.80	68.55	27.45	124.30
556	New Hampton.....	7.70	20.85	63.10	25.35	117.00
557	Anthony.....	1.90	34.95	104.95	42.00	183.80
558	Lorimor.....	.75	3.15	9.40	3.75	17.05
559	Shannon City.....	5.25	21.35	63.85	25.50	115.95
560	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
561	Manly.....	7.55	29.65	89.15	35.70	162.05
562	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
563	Pilot Mound.....	2.50	23.15	69.65	27.90	123.20
564	New Virginia.....	.50	6.35	19.10	7.65	33.60
565	Lester.....	3.10	11.70	35.95	14.55	65.30
566	Coggon.....	1.65	14.40	43.15	17.25	76.45
567	Clinton.....	18.75	69.35	209.10	83.85	381.05
568	Tracy.....	2.80	30.15	90.65	36.30	159.90
569	Ayrshire.....	6.55	31.75	79.80	24.15	142.25
570	Benton.....	2.00	8.30	24.80	9.90	45.00
571	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
572	Miles.....	9.30	31.55	95.05	38.10	174.00
573	Modale.....	.....	25.60	76.85	30.75	133.20
574	Sioux Rapids.....	7.40	23.90	71.90	28.80	132.00
575	Minden.....	.....	23.70	71.20	28.50	123.40
576	Des Moines.....	54.80	139.55	419.30	167.85	781.50
577	East Peru.....	1.70	12.35	36.85	14.70	65.60
578	Burt.....	10.75	31.10	93.35	37.35	172.55
579	Jamaica.....	.85	13.05	39.30	15.75	68.95
580	Soldier.....	2.20	36.80	110.30	44.10	193.40
581	Ely.....	.....	19.50	48.50	14.40	82.40
582	New Market.....	27.45	51.35	155.35	62.40	296.55
583	Dickens.....	1.25	15.25	45.75	18.30	80.55
584	Blakesburg.....	1.25	24.10	72.35	28.95	126.65
585	Janesville.....	.....	5.50	16.25	6.45	28.20
586	Rodney.....	7.00	23.45	70.45	28.20	129.10
587	Masonville.....	2.50	10.40	31.15	12.45	56.50
588	Des Moines.....	64.05	93.85	283.60	113.85	555.35
589	Cedar.....	9.00	27.00	10.80	46.80
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591	Bussey.....	6.20	18.45	7.35	32.00
592	Thompson.....	3.05	13.30	40.05	16.05	72.45
593	Thornton.....	3.05	21.00	63.00	25.20	112.25
594	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
595	Gilmore City.....	11.70	7.25	21.75	8.70	49.40
596	Croton.....	.....	9.55	28.80	11.55	49.90
597	Hartford.....	.....	10.30	30.05	11.85	52.20
598	Arlington.....	1.30	25.50	77.25	31.05	135.10
599	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
600	McIntire.....	9.50	13.25	40.00	16.05	78.80
601	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
602	Lakonta.....	.25	12.30	36.80	14.70	64.05
603	Foote.....	8.00	9.00	27.00	10.80	54.80
604	Valley Junction.....	22.10	34.90	105.40	42.30	204.70
605	Guss.....	2.50	15.40	45.90	18.30	82.10
606	Council Bluffs.....	6.65	70.30	212.05	85.05	374.05
607	Frank Pierce.....	.....	9.75	29.25	11.70	50.70
608	Des Moines.....	17.05	32.45	97.70	39.15	186.35
609	Schaller.....	.50	9.30	27.55	10.95	48.30

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No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
610	Solon.....	3.45	8.05	24.05	9.60	45.15
611	Britt.....	7.10	30.95	93.20	37.35	168.60
612	Des Moines.....	33.45	58.90	176.90	70.80	340.05
613	Swea City.....	11.65	22.50	67.50	27.00	128.65
614	Clio.....	1.00	6.40	19.15	7.65	34.20
615	Dike.....	15.65	23.35	71.10	28.65	138.75
616	Lake Park.....	-----	28.95	87.45	35.10	151.50
617	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
618	Lost Nation.....	5.80	11.05	33.30	13.35	63.50
619	Ellsworth.....	3.35	12.90	40.90	16.80	73.95
620	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
621	Delphos.....	-----	8.15	17.95	3.90	30.00
622	Ladora.....	3.25	23.50	70.50	28.20	125.45
623	Graettinger.....	12.20	13.50	41.50	16.80	84.00
624	Cleghorn.....	3.70	13.65	40.90	16.35	74.60
625	Pierson.....	1.70	29.20	88.20	35.40	154.50
626	Denison.....	46.95	22.95	70.70	28.65	169.25
627	Ankeny.....	15.95	71.85	216.10	86.55	390.45
628	Waverly.....	5.60	20.90	63.15	25.35	115.00
629	Fairfield.....	7.00	44.80	134.05	53.55	239.40
630	Des Moines.....	26.80	50.35	150.60	60.15	287.90
631	Corwith.....	5.80	19.60	60.85	24.75	111.00
632	Rossie.....	-----	5.90	17.65	7.05	30.60
633	Cylinder.....	3.00	10.90	32.90	13.20	60.00
634	Avery.....	19.35	32.70	97.95	39.15	189.15
635	Armstrong.....	2.20	21.90	53.05	15.15	92.30
636	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
637	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
638	Meservey.....	.50	7.50	22.25	8.85	39.10
639	Little Cedar.....	4.50	13.35	40.10	16.05	74.00
640	Somers.....	3.25	19.40	58.15	23.25	104.05
641	Everly.....	-----	4.60	13.85	5.55	24.00
642	Manson.....	24.05	16.10	48.60	19.50	108.25
643	Cedar Rapids.....	39.05	79.95	240.95	96.60	456.55
644	Zearing.....	4.05	16.10	48.10	19.20	87.45
645	Gilbert.....	13.05	23.35	69.85	27.90	134.15
646	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
647	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
648	Brazil.....	1.20	10.80	32.30	12.90	57.20
649	Titonka.....	2.40	16.20	49.45	19.95	88.00
650	Dysart.....	-----	7.30	22.05	8.85	38.20
651	Colo.....	1.70	15.30	45.80	18.30	81.10
652	Ferguson.....	9.15	14.50	43.50	17.40	84.55
653	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
654	Sheridan Center.....	8.40	7.55	23.05	9.30	48.30
655	Garrison.....	3.50	21.90	65.65	26.25	117.30
656	Lamont.....	2.95	13.85	41.60	16.65	75.05
657	Attica.....	1.00	13.15	39.40	15.75	69.30
658	Alta Vista.....	15.65	14.60	43.85	17.55	91.65
659	Strahan.....	-----	8.00	23.50	9.30	40.80
660	Columbia.....	9.60	17.95	53.70	21.45	102.70
661	Fredericksburg.....	8.50	30.30	91.05	36.45	166.30
662	Athelstan.....	6.00	15.90	47.65	19.05	88.60
663	Crystal Lake.....	7.40	9.80	29.55	11.85	58.60
664	Nichols.....	3.75	16.05	48.30	19.35	87.45
665	Unionville.....	7.10	6.50	19.50	7.80	40.90
666	Kent.....	4.25	24.40	72.90	29.10	130.65
667	Kanawha.....	2.85	27.20	81.45	32.55	144.05
668	Ash Grove.....	-----	16.25	48.75	19.50	84.50
669	Ottosen.....	-----	5.95	17.70	7.05	30.70
670	Cambria.....	1.70	20.20	61.45	24.75	108.10
671	Letts.....	6.45	14.30	43.55	17.55	81.85
672	Griffinsville.....	2.35	12.25	36.75	14.70	66.05
673	Stratford.....	-----	6.00	13.00	3.00	22.00
674	Superior.....	3.25	32.00	96.25	38.55	170.05
675	Carl.....	-----	5.20	15.70	6.30	27.20
676	Harris.....	8.60	46.85	141.60	56.85	253.90
677	Luther.....	2.40	18.75	56.25	22.50	99.90

Receipts by Lodges (Concluded)

No.	Location	Supplies	Dues	Home Tax	Bldg. Fund	Total
678						
679	Story City.....		5.10	15.35	6.15	26.60
680	West Branch.....	4.50	12.55	37.55	15.00	69.60
681	Medora.....		8.80	22.00	6.60	37.40
682						
683						
684	Sioux City.....	48.95	68.65	207.65	83.40	408.65
685						
686	Plover.....	5.50	12.85	38.60	15.45	72.40
687	Royal.....	3.35	15.55	46.80	18.75	84.45
688	Minburn.....	2.50	32.25	96.00	38.25	169.00
689	Salix.....	14.50	18.95	57.20	22.95	113.60
690	Albert City.....	21.05	29.40	88.65	35.55	174.65
691						
692	Garner.....	28.25	23.20	70.45	28.35	150.25
693	Cotter.....	1.00	16.60	49.60	19.80	87.00
694						
695						
696	Schleswig.....		18.55	55.80	22.35	96.70
697	Menlo.....		34.35	103.10	41.25	178.70
698	Barnes City.....		6.65	19.90	7.95	34.50
699	Buckeye.....		12.30	36.80	14.70	63.80
700						
701	Northboro.....	3.60	18.70	48.25	15.15	85.70
702						
703	Magnolia.....	.85	15.25	45.75	18.30	80.15
704	Davenport.....	1.35				1.35
705	Laporte City.....	24.35	28.05	78.05	39.60	170.05
706						
707	Postville.....	14.85	13.65	41.40	16.65	86.55
708	Marathon.....	20.85	25.00	74.75	29.85	150.45
709	Bronson.....	3.90	27.05	81.80	32.85	145.60
710	Holly Springs.....		12.40	37.15	14.85	64.40
711	Center Junction.....		5.05	15.30	6.15	26.50
712						
713	Udell.....	1.15	10.90	32.65	13.05	57.75
714	Rose Hill.....	1.25	16.25	48.75	19.50	85.75
715	Elwood.....	.85	10.75	32.25	12.90	56.75
716	Waterloo.....	24.30	81.25	244.50	97.95	448.00
717	Lawton.....	.25	20.75	62.25	24.90	108.15
718	Dean.....	.85	12.15	36.40	14.55	63.95
719	Long Grove.....	2.10	16.50	49.50	19.80	87.90
720	Larrabee.....	1.00	15.65	47.40	19.05	83.10
721						
722	Cedar Rapids.....	11.00	42.45	127.95	51.30	232.70
723	Wadena.....	.75	18.50	55.50	22.20	96.95
724	Grandview.....		19.50	58.50	23.40	101.40
725	Dallas.....	3.40	13.50	40.75	16.35	74.00
726	Exline.....	3.80	27.50	83.00	33.30	147.60
727	Greenville.....	1.45	22.55	52.25	13.20	89.45
728	Lone Tree.....	18.10	27.65	83.15	33.30	162.20
729	Bunch.....	7.20	11.60	34.85	13.95	67.60
730	Percy.....		5.40	15.90	6.30	27.60
731	Gravity.....		3.75	10.00	3.75	17.50
	Sundry Persons.....	150.10				150.10
	Defunct C'ficate.....	135.75				135.75
	Total.....	\$5,706.30	\$16,689.75	\$49,685.00	\$19,712.10	\$91,793.15

*Includes tax for Soldiers' and Sailors' and Army and Navy funds.

Appropriations and Expenditures

	Appropriation.	Expenditures.
Mileage and per diem.....	\$ 3,800.00	\$ 3,517.46
S. G. L. supplies and Representatives' tax.....	2,500.00	4,783.10

Grand Master's salary-----	2,000.00	1,666.66
Grand Master's expense account-----	2,000.00	1,873.68
Grand Secretary's salary-----	2,100.00	1,750.00
Assistant Grand Secretary's salary-----	1,800.00	1,500.00
Stenographer for Grand Secretary-----	1,320.00	1,100.00
Office rent for Grand Secretary-----	900.00	1,033.33
Telephone for Grand Secretary's office-----	100.00	80.71
Postage for Grand Secretary's office-----	500.00	453.75
Express -----	75.00	43.21
Printing Grand Lodge journals-----	2,600.00	2,111.90
Printing for Grand Lodge-----	400.00	400.00
Supplies for sale-----	850.00	1,117.49
Grand Secretary's office expense-----	200.00	190.81
Miscellaneous -----	800.00	528.00
Iowa Odd Fellow to Subordinate lodges-----	700.00	667.50
Grand Master, balance on salary-----	-----	455.55
Grand Master, balance on expense account-----	-----	193.65
Grand Secretary, balance on salary-----	-----	478.33
Assistant Grand Secretary, balance on salary-----	-----	420.00
Stenographer, balance on salary-----	-----	234.26
Excess over appropriation-----	1,954.39	-----
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	\$24,599.39	\$24,599.39

The excess over appropriations as will be noted above is in the supplies and rent. The increased activity in the lodges has created a demand for supplies, and especially is that true in regard to keys to the unwritten work, 3,324 being sold during the year.

The year under the agreement according to which we were paying rent expired November 1st, and the new lease entered into did not begin until January 1, 1920. The excess in the amount shown for rent was for the intervening months of November and December.

Paid by Order of the Grand Lodge

I. J. Ferguson -----	\$ 71.25
Willcox-Howell-Hopkins Co. -----	25.00
American Surety Company -----	100.00
J. M. Hazlett -----	107.97
C. E. MacCanon -----	4.75
Vita Cook -----	27.00
F. F. Rodgers -----	108.50
C. E. Behnke -----	30.00

C. E. Ghrist -----	12.00
L. J. Eastin -----	30.00
First M. E. Church -----	10.00
G. W. Hooker -----	4.92
A. C. Cherry -----	5.46
G. A. Newman -----	5.66
J. E. Ashton -----	5.44
Otto Windrath -----	5.06
A. A. Smith -----	3.16
L. W. Smith -----	25.00
American Surety Company -----	50.00
J. M. Hazlett -----	500.00
Briel & Co. -----	32.75
A. E. Hindorff, Grand Treasurer, salary -----	200.00
Total -----	<u>\$1,363.92</u>

Expense of Special Session

Guy M. Everett -----	\$ 42.70
H. H. Bye -----	28.89
F. P. Marvin -----	17.80
E. A. Wissler -----	20.73
John P. Weir -----	41.50
J. O. Eno -----	119.84
Ft. Des Moines Lodge No. 25 -----	24.00
D. F. Davis -----	18.60
Mileage and per diem -----	2,041.66
Total -----	<u>\$2,355.72</u>

Special Sessions of the Grand Lodge

During the past year eighteen special sessions of the Grand Lodge have been held. I believe these sessions have been productive of much good to the Order. At each of them a school of instruction was held, and especial interest seemed to be taken in the exemplification of the secret work. The time and place of holding said sessions are shown in the following table:

Place	Number of of Lodges represented	Members of G. L. present	Number of P.G.'s receiv- ing degree
Rock Rapids -----	9	11	20
Mapleton -----	20	9	95
Sioux City -----	16	18	27

Redfield -----	10	13	26
Fontanelle -----	6	9	35
Creston -----	16	9	40
LaPorte City -----	12	9	13
Greene -----	10	5	22
Prairie City -----	7	6	28
Mount Ayr -----	11	14	31
Nashua -----	17	18	32
Denison -----	6	6	22
Moravia -----	17	14	40
Bedford -----	11	12	35
Boone -----	8	7	20
Gruver -----	10	7	18
Hawarden -----	9	9	21
Cherokee -----	12	17	33

Rock Rapids, Iowa, January 20, 1920

Locust No. 367, Sheldon: John Sturgeon.

Rock Rapids No. 480, Rock Rapids: O. H. Betz, H. S. Boomgaarden, A. D. Boone, George H. Bush, W. M. Carroll, Leon Dye, C. D. Eckliff, A. M. George, Knute Hanson, Jr., Wm. Link, E. C. Pettengill, M. F. Stenzel, Ed. Tressler, F. P. Wallace, Wm. Weirs, and J. A. Wyland.

Alvord No. 538, Alvord: Fred Wenzel and Wm. L. Wenzel.

Lester No. 565, Lester: John Witt.

Mapleton, Iowa, January 22, 1920

Charter Oak No. 105, Charter Oak: Wm. E. Bowers.

Echo No. 119, Battle Creek: E. E. Carlson, W. H. Ellis, and J. G. Wheeler.

Hornick No. 157, Hornick: Willis Hindman, Wm. Kilzer, A. J. Loeb, and D. W. Spencer.

Sioux City No. 164, Sioux City: P. L. Chase.

Ida Grove No. 259, Ida Grove: W. H. Devine, H. H. Good, P. W. Gould, and John S. Ketterman.

Castana No. 321, Castana: Herman Earlandson, W. P. Forker, W. H. Foster, W. W. Gingles, F. M. Jones, W. H. Kuhns, D. Ladman,

W J. Masters, Nels Pearson, W. H. Rawlins, E. J. Struble, and Robt. Wilson.

Oto No. 343, Oto: Isaac Green, and Alfred Miller.

Monona No. 380, Onawa: J. B. Anderson, F. Burlingham, I. E. Hathaway, R. C. Heath, A. H. Hoffman, and J. H. Lindsey.

Maple Valley No. 399, Mapleton: A. J. Anthony, L. R. Avis, M. M. Beachler, J. R. Carhart, S. Christensen, F. C. Drake, E. G. Durston, W. H. Edgar, A. P. Folck, J. J. Groom, Geo. G. Harris, Harry Iddings, Wm. Lille, S. F. McCleerey, C. A. Miller, Clark Muckey, Charles Oms, W. C. Revel, B. F. Riley, Vic. Shaver, Guy Smith, George Spielman, Chas. I. Whiting, A. C. Wiggs, and F. M. Wooster.

Sloan No. 465, Sloan: H. J. Henry.

Prospect No. 531, Whiting: John Bowers, W. D. Burton, Ed. Dean, Paul C. Dobbs, M. E. Harrison, John Lind, Geo. A. Rice and E. T. Sullivan.

Anthon No. 557, Anthon: C. C. Banta, John Bevens, and R. P. Fisher.

Soldier Valley No. 580, Soldier: E. W. Albertson, Ray Dickenson, Wm. L. Dickinson, B. J. Hedum, Alex. Lawson, W. A. Lyons, Henry Pearson, and F. M. Strain.

Rodney No. 586, Rodney: C. E. Blakely, Ivan Blakely, Henry Bauman, W. F. Fisher, C. Hansen, John S. Lynn, Matt Mathison, Jake Nickolisen, A. A. Rostedt, G. W. Sexton, John Smith, and Fred J. William.

Salix No. 689, Salix: Ralph Brown, Pierce Galvins, R. Larson, and Carl Poor.

From Other Jurisdictions

E. J. Bild, Page Lodge No. 358, Page, Nebreska.

Sioux City, Iowa, January 30, 1920

Clarinda No. 109, Clarinda: J. W. Fisher.

Sioux City No. 164, Sioux City: Frank G. Bennett, J. C. Dunlavy, W. C. Johnson, Otto H. Kowarsch, Chris Madison, Martin I. Neswick, H. W. Simons, and E. M. Terry.

Cherokee No. 188, Cherokee: V. L. Gardner.

Western Star No. 282, Sioux City: M. W. Griffin, Gus J. Guenther F. H. T. Hannan, F. M. Lawrence, George J. Ross, and John I. Snyder.

Alta No. 388, Alta: M. O. Mikelson.

Reliance No. 533, Leeds: Wm. A. Crouch.

Woodbury No. 684, Sioux City: W. M. Gordon, David C. Johnson, H. A. Kneebone, and B. L. Shoenberger.

Bronson No. 709, Bronson: L. G. Shoemaker.

Justus No. 717, Lawton Ira G. Miller, J. A. Ross, and P. A. Ross.

From Other Jurisdictions

D. F. Sanders, Sleepy Eye Lake No. 83, Sleepy Eye, Minnesota.

Redfield, Iowa, March 2, 1920

Friendship No. 96 Adel: Elwood Beasley, J. W. Brock, C. A. Forrester, A. P. York, and J. M. York.

Redfield No. 135, Redfield: J. F. Crase, C. E. Davis, George Ford, I. A. Ford, J. M. Ford, R. L. Freeman, D. A. Gamber, J. W. Harden, Geo. L. Harding, F. M. Hutchins, A. Mabbitt, N. Nichols, Fred Short, T. H. Short, and W. J. York.

Dexter No. 215, Dexter: Chas. Coulter, and S. C. Welch.

Rockwell City No. 529, Rockwell City: A. E. Ayres.

Earlham No. 546, Earlham: K. G. Garrett, S. W. Kirkpatrick, and H. C. McKibben.

Fontanelle, Iowa, March 10, 1920

Fontanelle No. 250, Fontanelle: C. A. Baker, J. M. Bang, W. C. Brown, A. J. Chapman, Albert Chew, A. W. Dorn, John W. Evans, S. E. Evans, Wm. N. Green, J. C. Griffith, E. D. Harris, Rovert Hein, O. H. Hemphill, C. F. Hulbert, Bert Jenkins, Chas T. Launder, T. L. Lewis, C. W. Mathes, Chas. Shirey, B. H. Simpson, Samuel Salisbury, Charles Stuhmiller, G. V. Sullivan, W. I. Sullivan, W. Welscher, and A. C. Wiegand.

Greenfield No. 357, Greenfield: W. E. Clark, Arthur L. Dorsey, W. F. Huffer, J. E. Matheney, G. B. Mulhein, and R. L. Williams.

Orient No. 518, Orient: J. T. Taylor.

Cumberland No. 542, Cumberland: F. A. Dell, Albert Heyn.

Creston, Iowa, March 11, 1920

Afton No. 130, Afton: H. P. Bagg, S. R. Brown, and W. W. Kentner.

Nodaway No. 206, Corning: R. L. Brandon, Chas. A. Darrah, J. H. Dunn, C. J. Engstrom, Geo. F. Mitchell, Boyd N. Roland, and A. A. Staples.

Progress No. 207, Creston: W. G. Anderson, Julius Baron, J. A. Clark, J. O. Evans, H. E. Gidley, I. O. James, W. F. Heessell, J. H. Ogg, Roy Rhodes, H. A. Showers, A. B. Snyder, J. A. Spangler, J. F. Williams, and H. L. Woods.

Cromwell No. 237, Cromwell: E. J. Forquer, and J. S. Forquer.

Hopeville No. 306, Hopeville: Ira A. Gripp.

Greenfield No. 375, Greenfield: Lou Foreman.

Lenox No. 407, Lenox: J. L. Hurley.

Murray No. 487, Murray: Wesley Little.

Orient No. 518, Orient: R. J. Collins, W. J. Fulton, F. G. Mason, E. E. Smith, and Wm. Wearmouth.

Shannon City No. 559, Shannon City: R. M. Ervin.

Maple Grove No. 605, Guss: Perry Shipley, and R. C. Wickersham.

Kent No. 666, Kent: Zed Worthington.

From Other Jurisdictions

Chas. D. Frazier, of Washington No. 76, Washington, Kansas.

La Porte City, Iowa, March 15, 1920

Black Hawk No. 72, Waterloo: Harvey A. Smith.

Cedar Valley, No. 233, Cedar Falls: R. E. Bundy, John H. Gerholdt, and Oliver A. Riker.

Macedonia No. 421, Macedonia: J. C. Rainbow.

Hudson No. 526, Hudson: F. J. Waltman.

Lotos No. 705, LaPorte City: S. W. Bowers, A. T. Coffin, Walter G. Fox, Chas. A. Fultz, P. H. Paige, Don E. Quackenbush, and A. W. Wilkinson.

Greene, Iowa, March 17, 1920

Oak No. 167, Plymouth: O. C. Frederick, John Gottlieb, J. F. Harman, A. M. Holroyd, John Rezab, and W. J. Wurn.

Shell Rock No. 270, Shell Rock: Leo G. Dewey, and H. J. Van Hauen.

Nashua No. 391, Nashua: W. W. Clayton.

Elm Springs No. 318, Greene: H. C. Burns, Phil Hemmerick, C. H. Hurd, J. Jacobsen, Frank Knight, Raymond A. Koehn, A. H. Noltericke, Elvin M. Sebert, and Jacob Tack.

Jericho No. 474, Rockford: C. E. Ayres, Albert Reams, and Chas. G. Schmidt.

Willow Lawn No. 628, Waverly: M. A. Cuffel.

Prairie City, Iowa, March 26, 1920

Prairie City No. 144, Prairie City: F. E. Anderson, Fred Bowers, John Buckroyd, Jr., R. N. Butters, B. F. Cottrell, C. E. Conley, T. J. Conley, Harry DeHaan, C. L. French, J. L. French, J. T. French, J. W. Giles, Geo. W. Hahn, T. W. Hurst, J. G. Pender, O. E. Perryman, C. H. Phearman, C. B. Ruby, Jake Ruggless, C. A. Shaffer, J. P. Stoner, L. A. Surber, and J. A. Woodell.

Jasper No. 168, Monroe: R. W. Finn, H. A. Kling, and C. W. Mason.

Colfax No. 476, Colfax: John Clippinger, and Wesley McCracken.

Mount Ayr, Iowa, March 30, 1920

Goshen No. 53, Diagonal: Burdette Hersom.

Leon No. 84, Leon: J. A. McIntosh.

Lamoni No. 127, Lamoni: C. T. Buck, N. C. Merritt, and Arthur Noftsger.

Mount Ayr No. 169, Mount Ayr: W. E. Beall, E. S. Long, Sherman McCullough, Ira A. Merritt, F. K. Reynard, T. S. Rhoads, Clarence Thompson, and Guy L. Todd.

Caledonia No. 293, Caledonia: B. L. Cracraft, E. F. Dickerson, J. C. Johnston, V. G. Mackey, R. B. Michael, J. W. Rice, Geo. Richardson, C. B. Skinner, A. A. Stephens, A. L. Stephens, and F. W. Tway.

Kellerton No. 425, Kellerton: C. W. Beck, Dwight Burham, T. J. Burham, R. Emerson, Gus. Heinisch, Wm. H. Mosbarger, and Fred C. Skinner.

From Other Jurisdictions

A. B. Ogden, of Pennova Lodge No. 880, of East Liverpool, Ohio.

Nashua, Iowa, May 5, 1920

National No. 165, Charles City: J. F. Imus, A. G. Page, and W. G. Scott.

Granite Rock No. 200, Nora Springs: A. V. Finch.

Cedar Valley No. 233, Cedar Falls: Geo. S. Younker.

Sumner No. 338, Sumner: T. J. Long.

Clarksville No. 351, Clarksville: E. L. Clingman, and B. F. Hamilton.

Nashua No. 391, Nashua: Brooks Baltzer, D. H. Borchers, F. C. Cagley, Thomas Corlett, E. P. Foster, W. E. Foster, John Hildebrand, George Livermore, Wm. Lundt, P. J. McLarnan, J. W. Pierce, W. G. Robinson, and S. H. Simmons.

Phenix No. 556, New Hampton: J. F. Babcock, Jr., Frank St. John, and Herman Vick.

Janesville No. 585, Janesville: E. M. Rowe.

Little Cedar No. 639, Little Cedar: M. C. Houghton, Wm. Jones, F. W. Kruger, and H. H. Milton.

Fredericksburg No. 661, Fredericksburg: M. V. Box, G. O. Chambers, and A. R. Hinkley.

Denison, Iowa, May 13, 1920

Globe No. 280, Dow City: G. M. Brake, Gene Crandall, Asa Devine, Nelson Devine, H. M. Hamerick, T. W. McCullough, and J. E. Pearsall.

Denison No. 626, Denison: George Adolphsen, V. E. Anderson, F. C. Bolton, Frank Faul, Cornelius Godberson, C. M. Jensen, John Lingle, William Marshall, R. H. Partridge, Emil A. Pump, John Pump, Edward C. Retman, and Gus. Retman.

Pretoria No. 696, Schleswig: Fred W. Mohr, and A. H. Stoltenberg.

Moravia, Iowa, May 25, 1920

Plano No. 63, Plano: William S. Fox.

Centerville No. 76, Centerville: G. S. Dotson, Chas. Erickson, H. B. Foster, Joe Gillgrass, Jacob Ritter, Omar M. Strickler, A. J. Treon, and F. T. Veach.

Monroe No. 81, Albia: W. H. Bates.

Moulton No. 297, Moulton: J. H. Lowry, W. E. Powell, and L. A. Wood.

Iconium No. 497, Iconium: E. E. Brees, R. C. Brown, and Emmett Scott.

Moravia No. 510, Moravia: W. E. Donovan, C. E. Fulton, J. M. Funkhouser, H. W. Hobart, Geo. B. Johnson, E. D. Lawrence, C. N. Main, N. J. Main, D. D. Pollard, J. H. Rice, Henry Sytsma, and C. A. Turner.

Merriam No. 555, Mystic: Peter Aitken, and Albert Braughton.

Brazil No. 648, Brazil: W. W. Lowe, and W. M. Poffenberger.

Unionville No. 665, Unionville: Mike Dommer, H. A. Herman, and Fred McDonald.

Griffinsville No. 672, Griffinsville: F. H. Bahm.

Udell No. 713, Udell: Thomas Atkinson, W. R. Clark, O. K. Day, and S. A. Kinion.

Bedford, Iowa, May 27, 1920

Bedford No. 91, Bedford: Guy Akey, J. F. Besco, P. A. Blake, C. E.

Fitch, James Gilchrist, Frank Golding, Henry Haidsiak, F. W. Hart, G. J. Hughes, G. A. Kemery, J. F. Kemery, W. H. Lake, Geo. C. Lucas, J. M. Meredith, O. Parmenter, E. P. Patch, S. S. Patch, C. E. Paul, F. E. Payton, C. F. Perkins, Roy C. Shepherd, Albert L. Smith, C. P. Smith, C. W. Steele, J. W. Walker, and C. T. Wickersham

Greenfield No. 375, Greenfield: C. A. Reynolds.

Conway No. 553, Conway: G. W. Hough, and F. M. Humphrey.

New Market No. 582, New Market: H. B. Adams, E. C. Eighmy, H. U. Gillett, and Evert Godfrey.

Maple Grove No. 605, Guss: John Shaver.

From Other Jurisdictions

Charles Cornell, Burlington Lodge No. 404, Burlington, Junction, Missouri.

Boone, Iowa, June 3, 1920

Boonsboro No. 79, Boone: David Clark, Perry H. Hardie, Jas. Hutchinson, Andrew Menzies, John Risher, and A. P. Williams.

Ames No. 309, Ames: A. F. Alm, and Theo. B. Heggen.

Madrid No. 433, Madrid: W. J. Coleman, Charles F. Danielson, R. E. Larimer, Clinton Morning.

Connecting Link No. 492, Boone: I. C. Caldwell, Alex. Patterson, Dan Suer, E. E. Tillson, C. H. Voorhees, L. H. Waldo, and C. J. Zehr.

Pilot Mound No. 563, Pilot Mound: Geo. Owen.

Gruver, Iowa, June 8, 1920

Gruver No. 67, Gruver: Charles Higinbotham, Henry G. Klein, Wm. Ralson, and W. J. Shultz.

Minnewaukon No. 274, Spirit Lake: F. R. Dowden.

Buffalo No. 342, Buffalo Center: F. E. Rugger.

Estherville No. 423, Estherville: Frank Eiden and F. M. Wagoner.

Burt No. 578, Burt: F. W. Alber.

Superior No. 674, Superior: F. E. Clump, R. S. Ewing, A. Humphrey, Frank Leopold, G. J. Marriott, M. G. Ostheimer, O. J. Shepard, W. T. Winter, and A. J. Yock.

Hawarden, Iowa, June 11, 1920

Hawarden No. 196, Hawarden: Martin Anderson, L. L. Garrott, Harry C. Hilton, C. H. Johnson, P. J. Lubsen, Frank R. McGuire, F. E. Morgan, William C. Newton, John A. Patrick, O. A. Stoel, R. W. Troutman, and L. M. Wass.

Sioux No. 449, Hull: Chas. A. Beckman, H. M. Rombough, W. H. Stevens, and H. J. Victoria.

Sloan No. 465, Sloan: Frederick A. Hunting.

Ireton No. 502, Ireton: C. E. Hilton, and John Tweedy.

Reliance No. 533, Sioux City: F. M. Stephens.

Woodbury No. 684, Sioux City: J. A. Jones.

Cherokee, Iowa, June 14, 1920

Cherokee No. 188, Cherokee: Grant Braley, C. A. Druyor, C. B. Headley, J. W. Richardson, and D. G. Rohde.

Spruce No. 284, Washta: Jesse H. Hind, H. F. Hoffman, W. R. Jenkins, C. B. Mundy, and Clyde O'Neal.

Meriden No. 374, Meriden: Jack Stewart, and A. L. Waldron.

Alta No. 388, Alta: Iver E. Nord.

Sutherland No. 415, Sutherland: N. W. Burns, J. E. Joines, J. W. McClain, D. T. Moore, and Otto Port.

Maple No. 495, Aurelia: A. U. Fairchild, J. W. Fairchild, W. W. Fairchild, R. B. Harrison, Charles Lawson, J. A. Rapp, and Oscar Sansen.

Primghar No. 506, Primghar: Julius Krebs, and Alexander McCreath.

Sparta No. 524, Quimby: E. E. Courtright, and V. P. Smith.

Larrabee No. 720, Larrabee: W. E. Blood, L. C. Fell, M. C. Fessler, and L. E. Jacobsen.

Amendments to Grand Lodge Constitution Approved

The amendments to the Grand Lodge Constitution adopted at the last session were approved by Deputy Grand Sire Joseph Oliver, December 29, 1919.

Amendments to the Grand Lodge Constitution

(To be considered at this session.)

Submitted by J. M. Hazlett:

No. 1. Amend Section 43, Clause V, Grand Lodge Constitution, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight" so that said section when amended will read as follows:

"V. Odd Fellows or Rebekahs who are members in good standing of a Subordinate or Rebekah Lodge in good standing, and the widows of Odd Fellows who at the time of their decease were members in good standing, working under a charter regularly granted by the Grand Lodge of Iowa, shall be entitled to admission to said Home, provided said Odd Fellows or Rebekahs have been contributing members for at least eight years."

Submitted by L. W. Smith:

No. 2. Amend the Grand Lodge Constitution by striking out Section 22.

No. 3. Amend the Grand Lodge Constitution by striking out Section 26.

No. 4. Amend Section 32 of the Grand Lodge Constitution by adding "14. Committee on Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes so that said section when amended will read as follows:

"Sec. 32. Standing Committees. The Grand Master shall, at each annual session, immediately after the adoption of the report of the committee on credentials (except as provided for in the next clause), appoint the following standing committees, to consist of five or more members:

- " 1. Committee on Credentials.
- " 2. Committee on Judiciary.
- " 3. Committee on Legislation.
- " 4. Committee on the State of the Order.
- " 5. Committee on Finance.
- " 6. Committee on Appeals.
- " 7. Committee on Charters and By-Laws.
- " 8. Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.
- " 9. Committee on Districting the State.
- "10. Committee on Petitions.
- "11. Committee on Election Returns.
- "12. Committee on Miscellaneous Business.
- "13. Committee on Rebekah Degree.

"14. Committee on Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Home."

No. 5. Amend Section 21 of the Grand Lodge Constitution by striking out Clause IV of said section.

Amendment to the Grand Lodge Constitution

(To be acted upon in 1921.)

Submitted by Representative Paul H. Shrader:

No. 1. Amend Section 36 of the Grand Lodge Constitution by adding after the word "Secretary" in line 35 thereof, the following paragraph:

"But in no case shall a Lodge be permitted to consolidate with any other Lodge outside of its own District even though a Lodge in another District be located nearer by than another Lodge in the same District of the Lodge desiring to make a consolidation. Provided, however, that should there be no other Lodge in the District of a Lodge desiring to make a consolidation, then said Lodge shall be permitted to consolidate with a Lodge located nearest its own location."

That when said Section 36 is so amended it shall read as follows:

Sec. 36. **Consolidation of Lodges.** Whenever two or more Lodges desire to consolidate and form one Lodge, each for itself shall address a petition to that effect to this Grand Lodge or the Grand Master, showing that the question of such consolidation was submitted to each Lodge and the opposition to such consolidation, if any, in either of the petitioning Lodges was less in number than the minimum number of petitioners to whom, under the law, a charter would be granted, and that the final vote thereon had not been taken until after a motion for such consolidation had been offered in writing, read at each successive meeting after its introduction and remained upon the table of each Lodge for one month; and that the time for final action thereon had been fixed at the time of its reception. The petitions shall state into which Lodge the petitioning Lodges shall be consolidated, and the date at which the consolidation shall take effect. Upon the receipt of such petition the Grand Lodge, or the Grand Master may grant or refuse the consolidation prayed for, and issue a warrant accordingly, and said consolidation shall be firm and effectual from the date of such warrant; and such warrant shall invest the Lodge into which the others were consolidated with all property of the petitioning Lodges and attach and incorporate into it the entire membership of such Lodges, as if it had gained the same by initiation. Except the Lodge surrendering its name and number in the consolidation

shall send its seal, Rituals and charter to the Grand Secretary. But in no case shall a Lodge be permitted to consolidate with any other Lodge outside of its own District even though a Lodge in another District be located nearer by than another Lodge in the same District of the Lodge desiring to make a consolidation. Provided, however, that should there be no other Lodge in the District of a Lodge desiring to make a consolidation, then said Lodge shall be permitted to consolidate with a Lodge located nearest its own location.

Lodges wishing to consolidate should write to the Grand Secretary for the necessary blanks and instructions.

Amendment to the Subordinate Constitution

Submitted by Representative A. L. Heiny:

No. 1. Amend Section 31 of the Subordinate Constitution by striking out said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 31. The elective officers of this Lodge shall consist of a Noble Grand, Vice Grand, Secretary, Treasurer and a Financial Secretary when deemed necessary by the Lodge, who shall be elected at the first meeting nights in June and December of each year, except the Financial Secretary, who shall be elected annually at the first meeting night in December.

Price List

The continued rise in the price of paper will necessitate an increase in the price of supplies for the year 1921. Estimates have been received for most of the supplies and they show an advance over prices for the present year. It is recommended that the finance committee be instructed to fix the price to be charged for supplies beginning January 1, 1921.

Necrology

Past Grand Master M. W. White was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, April 2, 1854. In 1865 he came to Iowa with his parents, locating in Iowa county. In 1884 he joined Van Horn Lodge No. 249. In December, 1888, he withdrew from Van Horn Lodge and on February 12, 1889, joined Western Star Lodge No. 282. He served as Grand Master in 1903 and 1904. Died August 11, 1920.

Past President Lena T. Ring was born in Center Point, Iowa, May 3, 1870. Served as President of the Rebekah Assembly in 1911-1912. Died February 5, 1920.

Acknowledgment

To the Grand Master, Grand Patriarch, President and Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly, and the Department Commander of the Patriarchs Militant, I wish to express my appreciation for their assistance and willingness to aid in any way possible. Grand Master Rodgers has been a hard worker and much of the success and growth of the Order during the past year has been due to his vigorous efforts.

To my assistant, W. A. Merriam, and stenographer, Catherine Davis, I extend my sincere thanks. A man would not ask to have better office assistants. I deeply appreciate their faithfulness.

I wish to thank the Recording Secretaries throughout the jurisdiction for their earnest co-operation. The Secretary is the business end of the Lodge and much depends upon him for its success. We have worked together harmoniously in the past and hope we will continue to do so in the future.

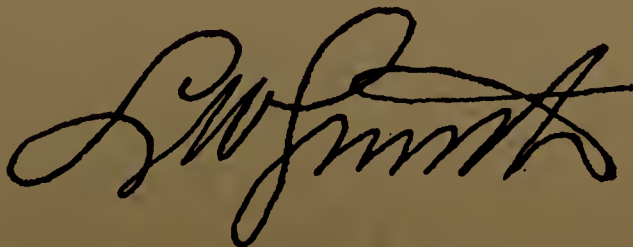
Conclusion

The Order is certainly to be congratulated on the splendid growth it has made in the past year. No other year in the past quarter of a century has equaled it. In 1900 the gain for the year was 3,250; in 1901 the gain was 2,877; these were the two banner years. The last half of the year 1919 shows a gain of 1,272 and the first half of 1920 a gain of 2,994 or a total of 4,266 for the year ending June 30, 1920.

There were many good Lodges throughout the Jurisdiction that did not show an increase but the usual losses due to death, withdrawal and non-payment of dues. Had a little effort been made these Lodges could have shown a good gain instead of a loss. The last report of Grand Secretary Goodwin shows that Iowa, in membership, ranks eighth in the Grand Jurisdictions in the Subordinate branch, eighth in the Encampment branch and fifth in the Rebekah branch. Let us get together and all push during the coming year, and boost Iowa into a still better position.

In Friendship, Love and Truth,

Fraternally yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, likely belonging to the Grand Secretary.

Grand Secretary.

Grand Treasurer's Report

General Fund

RECEIPTS

Sept. 1, 1919. To Balance-----	\$15,102.58
Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920. To interest on deposits-----	512.20
Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920. Cash received from L. W. Smith -----	31,441.28
Transferred from Army and Navy Relief fund-----	6,084.70
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	\$53,140.76

DISBURSEMENTS

Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1 1920. Warrants paid-----	\$35,187.76
Sept. 1, 1920. By Balance-----	17,953.00
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	\$53,140.76
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Sept. 1, 1920. To Balance-----	\$17,953.00

Home Fund

RECEIPTS

Sept. 1, 1919. To Balance-----	\$15,426.29
Interest on U. S. Bonds-----	44.68
Cash received from L. W. Smith-----	56,811.93
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	\$72,282.90

DISBURSEMENTS

Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920. Warrants paid-----	\$59,588.70
Feb. 2, 1920. Transferred to Memorial Building Fund-----	6,868.73
Sept. 1, 1920. By Balance-----	5,825.47
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	\$72,282.90
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Sept. 1, 1920. To Balance-----	\$ 5,825.47

Cantonment Fund

Sept. 1, 1920. To Balance-----	\$ 8.00
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General Relief Fund**RECEIPTS**

Sept. 1, 1919.	To Balance	\$ 1,584.46
	To Interest	21.04
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		\$ 1,605.50

DISBURSEMENTS

Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920.	Warrants paid	\$ 377.00
Sept. 1, 1920.	By Balance	1,228.50
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		\$ 1,605.50

Sept. 1, 1920.	To Balance	\$ 1,228.50
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Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund**RECEIPTS**

Sept. 1, 1919.	To Balance	\$ 8,153.13
Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920.	Cash received from L. W. Smith	32.50
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		\$ 8,185.63

DISBURSEMENTS

Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920.	Warrants paid	\$ 4,770.74
Sept. 1, 1920.	By Balance	3,414.89
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		\$ 8,185.63

Sept. 1, 1920.	To Balance	\$ 3,414.89
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Whitenack Penny Fund**RECEIPTS**

Sept. 1, 1919.	To Balance	\$ 725.13
	To Interest	9.67
Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920.	Cash received from L. W. Smith	4.37
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		\$ 739.17

DISBURSEMENTS

Sept. 1, 1919, to Sept. 1, 1920.	Warrants paid	\$ 28.00
Sept. 1, 1920.	By Balance	711.17
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		\$ 739.17

Sept. 1, 1920.	To Balance	\$ 711.17
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Iowa Odd Fellows' and Orphans' Memorial Building Fund

RECEIPTS

Gustav Ostrom Bequest	\$ 1,551.40
Phoebe Nieukirk Bequest	455.26
Wallace Johnson Bequest	6,868.73
Interest on U. S. Bonds from Nov. 1, 1919, to Jan. 2, 1920...	40.67
Donation—Mrs. Randall Holden.....	5.00
Interest on Victory Bonds.....	162.66
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	\$ 9,083.72

DISBURSEMENTS

Invested \$2,100.00 in Third Liberty Loan Bonds costing.....	\$ 1,981.82
Invested 30.00 in War Savings Stamps costing.....	24.84
Invested in Victory Bonds	6,850.00
Invested 200.00 in Victory Bonds and earned interest....	192.00
Sept. 1, 1920. By Balance.....	35.06
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	\$ 9,083.72
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Sept. 1, 1920. To Balance.....	\$ 35.06

BUILDING FUND

RECEIPTS

Feb. 22, 1920, to Sept. 1, 1920. Cash received from L. W. Smith	\$19,712.10
Interest on Bonds'	44.54
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	\$19,756.64

SUMMARY

Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in General Fund.....	\$17,953.00
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in Home Fund.....	5,825.47
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in Cantonment Fund	8.00
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in General Relief Fund.....	1,228.50
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in Soldiers and Sailors' Relief Fund..	3,414.89
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in Whitenack Penny Fund.....	711.17
Sept. 1, 1920. To Cash in Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Memorial Building Fund.....	35.06
Sept 1, 1920. To Cash in Building Fund	19,756.64
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	\$48,932.73

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. HINDORFF,
Grand Treasurer.

Trustees' Report

Trustees Report to the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa

The Board of Trustees of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans' Homes beg leave to submit the following report for the year beginning September 1, 1919, and ending August 31, 1920:

Farm Report

The farm of 240 acres is in excellent condition. We have 60 acres of corn which is in good condition and which, it is estimated, will make 40 bushels to the acre; 10 acres in potatoes which will yield about 100 bushels per acre; 50 acres in meadow; 60 acres in pasture; 40 acres in oats; 10 acres in rye yielding 26 bushels to the acre; several acres in garden truck from which we will receive an abundance of tomatoes, beans and cabbage for canning and making kraut, and storing for winter consumption, besides the following produce which has been used in the Homes during the past year, the price figured at the market price when used, to-wit:

Pork -----	\$ 961.24
Veal -----	44.30
Milk and Cream-----	6,173.90
Eggs -----	55.50
Vegetables and Small Fruit-----	846.05

Total value of products from the farm used in the Homes during the year-----	\$8,080.99
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We have sold from the farm during the year hogs, cattle, hides, and junk, \$851.09, which added to the value of the products in the Homes, as shown above, makes the receipts from the farm amount to \$8,932.08.

There were 1,807 bushels of oats raised at 60 cents per bushel, making \$1,084.20; 260 bushels of rye at \$1.50 per bushel, \$390.00; forty-five tons of hay at \$15.00 per ton, \$675.00; eighteen tons of straw at \$10.00 per ton, \$180.00. This grain, hay and straw is stored in the barn and will be used during the coming winter.

Stock on Farm

We have at this time eight work horses, three two-year-old colts; twenty-three milk cows, eighteen heifers two years old and seven yearlings and six calves, one bull, thirty-eight shoats, sixteen stock hogs, twelve brood sows, 375 chickens.

Farm Machinery

Three farm wagons, one corn binder, one gang plow, one harrow, one cultivator, one disk harrow, one 4-horse harrow, one sulky plow, one hay loader, one potato planter, one corn planter, one potato digger, one mower, one bobsled, one walking plow, one sod plow, one quack grass puller, one sulky hay rake, one horse lawn mower, two hand lawn mowers, one garden cultivator, one garden drill, one manure spreader, two hay racks, several forks, shovels, hoes, and rakes, etc., one new side delivery hay rake, and three sets of farm harness, two of which are very poor.

Summary

Total expense for the Homes	\$47,746.68
Total expense for the Farm	8,507.68
Total Trustees' account	904.34
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Total	\$57,158.70
Appropriated by the last Grand Lodge	50,000.00
Money received for support of residents	5,230.87
Farm products sold	851.09
Money received for meals of visitors and sundry items	214.05
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Total	\$56,296.01
Deficit	862.69

The appropriation for the maintenance of the Homes and improvements for the past year was \$50,000.00 and such additional sums as may be received for the care of residents, sale of stock, grain and other products from the farm, receipts for meals and from the Rebekah Assembly, but owing to the fact that the increased price of everything used in the Homes the amount has been insufficient, and the Trustees feel compelled to ask for an appropriation of \$65,000.00 for the maintenance and improvements the coming year, including the barn, which was not built last year owing to the high price of materials and shortage of funds.

Permanent Improvements and Repairs During the Year

Homes	\$2,745.70
Farm	95.76

Home and Farm Finances

Sept. 1, 1919—On hand, cash in bank.....	\$ 3,500.00
Sept. 24, 1919—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	3,125.59
Oct. 13, 1919—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	3,119.81
Nov. 4, 1919—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	3,646.56
Dec. 3, 1919—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	4,565.82
Dec. 31, 1919—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	3,900.69
Jan. 5, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	1,275.00
Jan. 24, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	3,569.70
Feb. 20, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	5,162.09
March 21, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	4,323.18
April 29, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	5,133.35
May 14, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	5,196.95
June 23, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	4,606.20
July 15, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	5,209.10
Aug. 19, 1920—Warrant from Grand Secretary.....	4,347.18

(Not received until August 28th, and in meantime a lot of other checks issued.)

Total	\$60,681.22
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Trustees' Account

Per diem	\$ 614.50
Mileage	154.55
Miscellaneous	135.20

Total	\$ 904.34
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Itemized account of the Expenses of the Trustees

John C. Scott, Secretary and Chairman

August 19th to September 24th, per diem.....	\$ 15.00
Mileage	17.36
Postage	3.00
October 13th to January 24th, salary as Secretary.....	25.00
January 5th to January 24th, per diem.....	12.00
Mileage	12.50
February 21st to March 21st, stationery.....	8.60
March 21st to April 29th, Contract Blanks.....	4.25
Per Diem	24.00
Mileage	36.28
Postage	3.50

Total	\$ 161.49
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George Adair, Chairman

August 19th to September 24th, per diem	\$ 12.00
Mileage	1.87
Postage	3.66
January 5th to January 24th, per diem	9.00
Mileage	3.50
Postage	2.78
March 21st to April 29th, per diem	18.00
Mileage	24.00
Postage	2.66
Total	\$ 77.47

S. A. Koch, Treasurer

August 19th to September 24th, per diem	\$ 168.00
Postage	13.00
September 24th to October 13th, bond as Treasurer	7.00
October 13th to November, per diem	59.00
Mileage	14.00
Postage	14.00
January 5th to January 24th, per diem	114.00
Postage	12.00
Total	\$ 401.00

E. W. Cutting, Treasurer

January 5th to January 24th, stationery	\$ 10.50
January 21st to February 20th, bond as Treasurer	10.00
January 4th to April 2d, per diem	61.00
Mileage	16.02
Postage	6.00
April 2d to June 23, per diem	72.50
Mileage	17.84
Postage	5.34
June 24th to August 19th, per diem	50.00
Mileage	11.18
Postage	4.00
Total	\$ 264.38

Since the report was made and books closed, Brother E. W. Cutting, Treasurer of the Trustees, under date of September 4, 1920, advised the Secretary that he had deposited to the credit of the Iowa Odd

Fellows and Orphans' Home Account, \$243.88, the same being the total amount of all checks drawn in his favor since January 1st, and asked that same be shown on the report; also that he had reimbursed Brother A. W. Stubbs, Superintendent, to the extent of \$20.25 in payment for all of the meals eaten at the Homes and for his lodging during all Trustees meetings since January 1st, the beginning of his term as Trustee.

Membership Report

The number of residents in our Homes on September 1, 1920, was 177; 74 men and women, and 103 children.

Residents Admitted During the Year

Men and Women

Charles F. Hamilton, age 57, admitted November 4, 1919, from Lone Tree Lodge No. 352.

Jay Baker, age 59, admitted November 15, 1919, from Leola Lodge No. 202.

F. J. Bowlsby, age 73, admitted November 22, 1919, from University Lodge No. 356.

Edward Howell, age 73, admitted November 31, 1919, from Harlan Lodge No. 267.

Charles G. Mayberry, age 65, admitted February 11, 1920, from Glenwood Lodge No. 97.

George L. Smith, age 74, admitted March 31, 1920, from Council Bluffs Lodge No. 49.

Melissa Terrill, age 86, admitted December 3, 1919, from Montezuma Lodge No. 74.

Mary I. Everingham, age 78, admitted December 8, 1919, from Washington Lodge No. 1.

Kate Pritchard, age 73, admitted January 6, 1920, from Hiteman Lodge No. 548.

Children

Orrin David Edwards, age 5, admitted November 22, 1919, from Maine Lodge No. 643.

Doyce Woodiwiss, age 2½ years, admitted January 13, 1920, from Idaho Lodge No. 454.

John W. Dormann, age 4, admitted April 3, 1920, from Hartley Lodge No. 507.

Chris H. Dormann, age 2½ years, admitted April 3, 1920, from Hartley Lodge No. 507.

Felix A. Kannewuif, age 8½ years, admitted April 9, 1920, from Woodbury Lodge No. 684.

Bernard Rose, age 5, admitted July 30, 1920, from Oak Lodge No. 167.

Freddie Rose, age 3½ years, admitted July 30, 1920, from Oak Lodge No. 167.

Virginia O. Edwards, Age 2½ years, admitted November 22, 1919, from Maine Lodge No. 643.

Lorraine A. Edwards, age 10 months, admitted November 22, 1919, from Maine Lodge No. 643.

Jessie I. Woodiwiss, age 12, admitted January 13, 1920, from Idaho Lodge No. 454.

Cora E. Woodiwiss, age 9, admitted January 13, 1920, from Idaho Lodge No. 454.

Geraldine Dunlap, age 7, admitted January 16, 1920, from Springville Lodge No. 227.

Etta Kannewuif, age 7, admitted April 9, 1920, from Woodbury Lodge No. 684.

Lottie Kannewuif, age 5, admitted April 9, 1920, from Woodbury Lodge No. 684.

Annie Kannewuif, age 2½ years, admitted April 9, 1920, from Woodbury Lodge No. 684.

Dorothy Rose, age 20 months, admitted July 30, 1920, from Oak Lodge No. 167.

Luella Rose, age 8, admitted July 30, 1920, from Oak Lodge No. 167.

Genevieve Rose, age 12, admitted July 30, 1920, from Oak Lodge No. 167.

Died at Home During the Year

F. A. Owens, May 30, 1920.

Alexander Cleveland, February 22, 1920.

A. B. Campbell, April 17, 1920.

Henry Raimey, August 20, 1920.

J. L. Seis, October 1, 1919.

William Marshall, October 11, 1919.

Joseph Modlin, November 22, 1919.

Charles F. Hamilton, March 7, 1920.

Jay Baker, May 22, 1920.

Fidelia Black, March 6, 1920.

Alice Wait, January 23, 1920.

Lois J. Fry, October 8, 1919.

Dismissed During Year

Spencer Snodgrass, Knoxville Lodge No. 90, at request of father.
Arthur Gale, Moulton Lodge No. 297, reached age limit.
Harlan Hatch, Highland Park Lodge No. 602, at request of father.
Bernard Hatch, Highland Park Lodge No. 602, at request of father.
Russell J. Monaghan, Lincoln Lodge No. 42, reached age limit.
Arthur J. Wadsworth, Dubuque Lodge No. 173, at request of father.
Clara Simpson, Lytton Lodge No. 336, reached age limit.
Bonita Ford, Banner Lodge No. 123, re-marriage of mother.
Collette Simmons, Sioux City Lodge No. 164, reached age limit.
Margaret Ford, Banner Lodge No. 123, remarriage of mother.
Goldie Belshaw, Park City Lodge No. 606, remarriage of mother.
Alice Belshaw, Park City Lodge No. 606, remarriage of mother.
Rose M. Wadsworth, Dubuque Rebekah Lodge No. 173, request of father.
Margaret L. Wadsworth, Dubuque Rebekah Lodge No. 173, at request of father.

Discharged During Year

Emil Letscher, Rolfe Lodge No. 94, at request of father.
Eddie Letscher, Rolfe Lodge No. 94, for misconduct.
Albert N. Chase, Oakland Lodge No. 442, insanity.
Marvin P. Chaney, Hansell Lodge No. 536, mother re-married.

Names of Residents in the Homes

Men

L. W. Billings, Lester; Josiah French, Massena; Christopher Schroeder, Polk City; Ezra Brownell, Winterset; George E. Davis, Eagle Grove; James Dickson, Rockwell; Albert Case, Princeton; Frank Richey, Anita; Geo. A. Allen, Des Moines; August Braun, Griswold; Geo. Smith, Corning; E. C. Johnson, Leeds; Martin Scholtz, Fort Madison; Ernest Melchau, Davenport; A. S. Whitesell, Marengo; John Kenney, Glenwood; John DeCou, Woodbine; Freeman Nichols, Colesburg; Thomas Forquer, Keokuk; Olaf Anderson, Prairie City; William Biggs, Hansell; William Walker, Albia; Michael Crotty, Rockwell; Phillip Raine, Sheffield; Lee Gibson, Atlantic; O. S. Davis, Mechanicsville; Joseph Hartman, Dubuque; Chas. Eckhardt, Keokuk; John F. Wright, Britt; John V. Powell, Carroll; Richard Newton, Sioux City; Franklyn Carter, Fulton; Jasper Newton, Tracy; H. C. Puntney, Burr Oak; John Siebold, Forest City; Casper Fithen, Mt. Pleasant; Stephen M. Hawkins, Lake Mills; Berger Nelson, Chillicothe; John

Whitehouse, Avery; J. M. Higby, Manson; S. A. Stahl, Creston; R. S. Grigg, Oto; Isaac Bush, Oskaloosa; Chas. G. Mayberry, Glenwood; George Beck, Madrid; J. F. Bowlsby, Des Moines; Edward W. Howell, Harlan; George L. Smith, Council Bluffs; Gilbert Taylor, Council Bluffs.

Women

Louise Steere, Des Moines; Hannah Sourwine, Brooklyn; Helen J. Alline, Sioux City; Fannie Case, Princeton; Caroline Maley, Cantril; Mary Bouslog, Grand Junction; Harriett Bagley, Grand Junction; Nancy Cleveland, Des Moines; Ada S. Butterfield, Quasqueton; Clara A. Davis, Mechanicsville; Ann M. Parris, Belle Plaine; Mandana Carter, Fulton; Minerva Wright, Des Moines; Sophia Nelson, Durham; Anna M. Mayer, Dubuque; Phildelia Cruetzberg, Des Moines; Nellie M. Caulkins, Knoxville; Florence E. Grigg, Oto; Mary Bush, Oskaloosa; Clara Mace, Keokuk; Sarah C. Clark, Fulton; Mary Dilsaver, Humeston; Melissa Terrill, Montezuma; Mary J. Everingham, Burlington; Kate Pritchard, Hiteman.

Boys

Deward Carder, Exline; Donald Peock, Ottumwa; George W. Hills, Colfax; Arthur Booth, Cleghorn; Howard and Walter Delahoyde, Stuart; Otis, Marion, and Wilson Strait, Des Moines; Willie McClaren, Buckeye; Glentus Palmer, Medora; Woodrow Cundiff, Pocahontas; Deris Cooper, Bondurant; George and Estey P. Belshaw, Council Bluffs; George H. Fry, Grinnell; William K. Bryan, New Sharon; Albert W. Taylor, West Union; Joseph L., and William M. Popelka, Cedar Rapids, Ralph G., Ray A., and Lyle D. Hackerson, Wesley; Leonard P. Bell, Waterloo; Ernest, Verne V., and Clifford W. Kurtz, Buffalo Center; Virgil C., Merle E., Ward, and Winthrop L. Lincoln, Rockwell; Kenneth Robinson, Wesley; Clifford Lewis, Mason City; Edward G., and Winston E. Brownlee, Bagley; Orrin D. Edwards, Cedar Rapids; Doyce Woodiwiss, Hubbard; John W., and Chris H. Dorman, Hartley; Felix A. Kannewurf, Sioux City; Bernard and Freddie Rose, Plymouth; Hilbert, Charles, and Levi Whitaker, Oakville; Robert Martin, Boone.

Girls

Alice Snodgrass, Knoxville; Dorothy, and Ruby Young, Delhi; Ione and Garnet Peock, Ottumwa; Elsie and Mable Letscher, Rolfe; Ethel, and Edith Hills, Colfax; Ethel, and Fannie Booth, Cleghorn; Eileen, Vera, and Edra Delahoyde, Stuart; Mary Belshaw, Council

Bluffs; Ruby Strait, Des Moines; Grace Booth, Mason City; Mae McClaren, Buckeye; Dorothy, Irene, and Helen Palmer, Medora; Alberta Cundiff, Pocahontas; Ruth C., and Zula Cooper, Bondurant; Marjorie Monaghan, Clinton; Esther, and Thelma Fry, Grinnell; Eithel, Aileen L., and Lavon M. Magner, Klemme; Judith C. Anderson, Lake Mills; June A., and Willidene Carroll, Sutherland; Lillian J., Beatrice, and Esther C. Popelka, Cedar Rapids; Lela M. Kurtz, Buffalo Center; Bernice, and Gladys Robinson, Wesley; Marguerite, Willmyeth, and Judith Lewis, Mason City; Arlis P., Arline R., and Phoebe C. Brownlee, Bagley; Eva Hills, Colfax; Virginia O., and Loraine A. Edwards, Cedar Rapids; Jessie I., and Cora E. Woodiwiss, Hubbard; Geraldine Dunlap, Springville; Etta, Lottie and Annie Kannewurf, Sioux City; Dorothy, Luella, and Genevieve Rose, Plymouth.

Recommendations of Trustees

We believe that the boys' dormitory at the Homes should be built at the earliest possible date, for the reason that the normal increase of residents at the Homes will make it necessary that we have more room for the children even before the dormitory could be built.

We met with the Chairman of the Special Building Committee on the 9th of June at the Homes in Mason City and went over the bids that were received in the regular manner. Six bids were submitted, and one of the bids submitted for the building of the dormitory was within the appropriation made by the Grand Lodge at the 1919 session at Ames, but owing to the inadequacy of the resolution covering said appropriation there was no way provided for the drawing of the funds in a specific manner. Hence the proposition has been laid over until the 1920 session of the Grand Lodge.

In checking over past records we find that the normal increase of children at the Homes has been an average of about six per year. We have at this time 103 children in the Homes and room for approximately twelve more according to the housing laws of the State of Iowa as passed by the 38th General Assembly, and we feel that the Grand Lodge of Iowa should be at all times ready and willing to accept any children that are eligible to the Homes, and we hope that it will never be necessary to refuse the application of any child to the Home for the reason that we have no place for them.

We further recommend that the Grand Lodge instruct the Trustees to either purchase storm windows for the Homes or allow them to have weather strips on each of the windows in the Homes. During the September meeting a Mr. Carmen was there and measured up the windows on the three buildings. There is a total of 398 windows, and he said that his company would put the weather strips on all of the

windows for a total of \$2,000.00, and we are of the firm opinion that either storm windows or weather strips are necessary. The weather strips would be better because they would not have to be removed each season and stored, etc., and there would not be so much damage from breakage. This should be given early attention from the Grand Lodge because the coal that is necessary to maintain the Homes is costing us a great deal more money than it has in the past. From the best information that we can gather we feel that the coal that would be saved in two years would pay for the weather strips.

We would further recommend that action be taken relative to the Ford car that is now in use at the Homes as recommended by the Advisory Board of the Rebekah Assembly. They have recommended to us as Trustees that the Ford car that we now have be converted into a truck for use on the farm, provided that the Grand Lodge purchase a new car for the use of the Superintendent and Matron.

Closing our work for the year, we, as Trustees, feel that Brother Ray Dobbs is entitled to consideration for the reason that the farm was in such excellent condition and we believe that a great deal of credit for the increased crops on the farm this year is due to his management and careful, conscientious hard work.

The farm management was not taken over by Brother Stubbs, Superintendent, until July 1st, and he has continued the work in the same creditable manner.

We want to further mention the courtesy extended to us by the former Matron, Sister Alta Striker, for the kindness that she has shown to us in staying in the Homes working with and co-operating with Brother Stubbs and his estimable wife in managing the Homes after she had been asked to resign.

We feel that we are indebted to Sister Striker very much for her kindness in staying with us until about July 1st.

The Trustees of the Homes during the past year have had a great many busy sessions. On the whole the work has been progressive and we believe for the upbuilding of the Order and for the good of our Homes. There were many things that have been unfortunate that have happened during the past year and there has been several changes in the management of the Homes, with relation to the Superintendent and Matron and the Trustees also; however, we have all confidence in Brother Stubbs and his wife as Superintendent and Matron of the Homes, and we believe that when they get thoroughly organized in the work things will be managed and taken care of properly and with satisfaction to the members of the Order at large.

Improvements Made During the Year

It was the plan of the Trustees to build a barn as ordered by the last session of the Grand Lodge, but owing to lack of funds it has been necessary to curtail the building of the barn, but we are at this time taking steps to enlarge and materially increase the quality of our dairy herd to the extent that we feel that it be necessary that this barn be built and appropriations be made sufficiently large so that same can be built during the coming year.

The farm is in good condition and there has been no improvements made except that some small fruit has been set out and more of it will be planted next spring. A new division fence was built on the south side of the farm and we contemplate putting in more new fence in the near future as it is necessary.

There are fewer weeds on the farm than there has been for some time past; however, there are some weeds in the corn that came up after the corn was laid by, because of the weather conditions, but generally speaking the farm land is in good condition, and the crops are in very good condition this season.

Conclusion

As has been the custom the Advisory Board and the Chairman of the Homes Committee has met with the Trustees in joint session at each of the semi-annual meetings. These joint sessions we believe result in great good in the management of the Homes, for the reason that the suggestions made by the Advisory Board are regarded very highly by the Trustees.

The Rebekah Assembly has, through its Advisory Board carried on its work replenishing the furnishings of the Homes this past year, as usual; have paid the salaries of the school teachers, and furnished school supplies and musical instruction. The co-operation and generosity of the Rebekah Assembly in assisting us in this grand work is deeply appreciated.

Fraternally submitted,

JOHN C. SCOTT, Chairman,
A. C. CHERRY, Secretary,
E. W. CUTTING, Treasurer,
Trustees.

Matron's Report

It is my pleasure and privilege to make a report of the "Homes," and events that may prove to be of interest to the membership.

The last few months have been busy ones, perhaps busier than any year before because of so much sickness, making invoices of both Homes, and preparing clothing for the children for Summer and the opening of school in September. The many duties of the Matron require inexhaustible energy and patience, a fund of wit and humor, to be both young and old, to take a small place in society, a big place in business and try to fill them all creditably. The bumps you get, the discouragements you encounter and the mistakes you make are the best part of your education in trying to make good, and the biggest factor in keeping you humble.

In May of last year several children were afflicted with "scarlet fever," and though every precaution was taken to prevent it spreading, several months passed before the last patient was released. One case of diphtheria developed and the child, a sweet-faced girl of twelve years, died after one week's illness. When Mason City was full of "flu" we escaped without a single case, but close upon the heels of this epidemic, a light form of influenza appeared in the Home. One after another of the children came down, until seventy-two were in bed at one time. Six employees were ill at the same time, no help could be secured, so every person that was well took up the extra burden and went on duty night and day. With my other duties I found time to care for boys in one department and to help prepare meals, as did the assistants in the other departments. Two small boys in the nursery went through a siege of pneumonia, following the flu. For days we despaired of their recovery. Am glad to say they are quite strong again. Measles and then whooping cough followed closely and in the early summer chicken pox run its course. There had been so little sickness for years among the children and all coming on as it did, made it very hard to bear, and in a measure unfitted us all for our daily tasks. Not one suffered for care and all are well again and no worse for having been ill. My physical endurance was taxed to the uttermost, but am glad I had the strength to

give. An unusually large number of the old people were more or less ill all winter and spring. Some are better and others passed out into rest eternal, glad to be released from their suffering.

What a lesson of patience can be learned when you witness the agony endured by these brothers and sisters, who are grateful for the care and comfort given them by our Order. Many of the Home family help in every possible way, and you will find them sitting with sick, carrying a cup of cold water, or reading to a patient and often writing letters for them, each one bringing a bit of sunshine into a dreary life.

Religious Service

Rev. A. W. Tandy, of Mason City, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and an Odd Fellow, has conducted religious services each Sunday afternoon in the old people's building, where both old and young people listen to the preaching of God's Word.

For so long a time the children were denied the privilege of attending Sunday School on account of contagious disease in the Home, also closing of churches in the city, but they were not without training in that line. Bible study and stories were a part of the evening routine. Rev. Tandy is a splendid man and is always welcome at the Homes, especially in the Nursery, where the little ones nearly smother him with loving arms.

Music

Having a sum of money in the bank that was given the children for taking part in celebrations and entertainments, an Edison was purchased for their especial pleasure. Many pleasant hours were spent listening to delightful music, together with piano and singing, when all took part. Visitors often remarked, "How well these children sing." As a rule the children are not timid before strangers, but do the best they can when called upon to display their talents.

A Hamilton piano was purchased by Past President Georgia Quigley, with money donated by lodges and conventions for that purpose. The old piano in the music room was removed to the school building, where it can be used for a time, and the new one put in its place.

Entertainments

We are especially indebted to the management of the Cecil, Palace, Bijou and Garden Theatres for entertainment. When an interesting and educational picture was to be shown, an invitation to bring the children in as guests was always accepted. Needless to say all were ready on time and eager for a delightful change of scene. Also to the Mason City and Clear Lake Street Railway Co. who have so often taken the children to town and back on these trips free of charge.

The Junior Business Girls of Mason City came out Christmas to put on a short play, and serve refreshments to the old people. They thoroughly enjoyed this treat and fully appreciated the effort of the young people who brought so much Christmas cheer.

Brother A. W. Stubbs and wife have assumed the responsibility of the Homes and are getting acquainted with the large family. They will need all the encouragement and support of the membership that is possible to get, and I feel that they will not be without it.

Let him know you are back of him in spirit and he cannot fail.

I wish them success most heartily and hope every plan for the betterment of the Homes may be fulfilled.

Board Meetings

The Board meetings have always been events in the Home, long looked forward to, and much regret expressed when the members were through with the business and ready to leave. It is a family reunion in fact, when the needs of the Homes are planned for and ways and means to make improvements given careful consideration by men and women who are more careful of your money than they would be were it their own. Giving themselves, unselfishly, without thought of reward, to the upbuilding and advancement of our beloved Homes. My association in the past four years with these brothers and sisters has been indeed an inspiration to give loyal service in the cause of Friendship, of Love and of Truth.

I deeply appreciate the faith and confidence given me at all times, the courtesy shown and the unfailing spirit of true fraternity.

Acknowledgments

We return thanks and good wishes to the many lodges, circles,

clubs and individual members who have given time, money, fruit, clothing, bedding and other things that have helped so much, and the unfailing love and interest expressed by these gifts.

To the assistants in every department who shared the burdens incident to a long siege of illness, and in numerous trials have shown a spirit of loyalty and devotion to me when I needed it most, I tender my heartfelt thanks.

The many friends and officers who by kindness and wise council have made my burden lighter, I owe much. The memory of these will be loved and cherished as that of a precious gift, for

More than fame and more than money

Is the comment, kind and sunny,

And the hearty warm approval of a friend;

For it gives to life a savor,

And it makes you stronger—braver,

And it gives you heart and spirit to the end.

And now my work is ended after four short years of service, every moment full to overflowing with care, responsibility, and with it all a great deal of pleasure in caring for the needs of your little ones, and the old people to whom my heart goes out in love and sympathy. The best interests of the Homes will always be very close to me and an incentive for better and more unselfish service toward humanity, to live a little closer to the principles of an Order that teaches us to say: "As ye would that others should do unto you, do ye even so unto them."

Sincerely and fraternally,

ALTA STRIKER, Matron.

Superintendent's Report

When we arrived at the "Homes" to take charge we found every one disposed to be very kind and helpful, and nearly all of the help have been very loyal, and have helped us over many rough places, for which we are very grateful. The trustees feeling that the resolution making the change necessary, compelled them to put everything under one management, placed the farm in our care on June 10th, thus making our work doubly hard, as we had had only one month to familiarize ourselves with the work of the Home, which is no small task.

Brother Roy Dobbs, who had been in charge of the farm, decided not to stay with us. Brother John Smart, who has been on the Home farm for several years, and a competent farmer, took charge July 1st and has the work well in hand. Brother Robert Catron, who is in charge of the heating, plumbing and electrical work, has been very busy this summer overhauling the entire heating system, which we feel is now in fine shape. We have three of the Matrons with us who have been at the Homes for several years: Sadie Thied, Laura Peterson and Jennie Machesney, all of whom have been a great help to us.

We have seventy-four old people in the Home at the present time; all are in very good health considering their advanced age, and most of them seem contented and happy. Their building is in good condition with the exception that some of the rooms need painting and the outside woodwork needs paint badly. Everything is done that we can do for the convenience and pleasure of the residents of our Old Folks Home, and it is our purpose to spread sunshine in the pathway of their declining years.

There are one hundred and three children in the Home, and all are in the best of health now, after a few months of whooping cough, and a slight scare of small pox, which was successfully stopped by segregating it in the farm house. All who are old enough are in school, which opened Monday, September 6th, with Mrs. Vera Snedeker as Principal, Miss Edna Gardner, Intermediate, and Miss Julia DeGraw, Primary, teachers. One of our boys, Howard Delahoyde, is attending High School in Mason City. We feel that we are going to have a splendid school year, although our rooms are crowded. If it were possible to place the nursery on the first floor of the new building and thus save our "little tots" from climbing two flights of stairs three times a day to get their meals, and convert the nursery into two more school rooms, we feel that it would be a wonderful improvement.

August Braun, our gardener, has successfully raised about four acres of garden this summer, which was kept in fine condition by the assistance of several of the brothers in the Home who were willing and glad to help.

Fruit Donations

One barrel fruit, Silver Links, Fonda; one barrel jelly, Eldora, Eldora; one box fruit, Orion, Shellsburg; one barrel fruit, Garrison, Garrison; one box of fruit and jelly, Junietta, Eagle Grove; one barrel fruit, Mary, Logan; one barrel fruit, Grinnell, Grinnell; one barrel apples, Washta, Washta; one barrel fruit, Deborah, Brooklyn; one barrel fruit, Progress, Lake City; one box fruit, Petunia, Keystone; one barrel fruit, Neola, Neola; one barrel fruit, Lillium, Independence; one barrel fruit, Bethel, Vinton; one barrel fruit, Mt. Auburn, Mt. Auburn; one barrel fruit, Oriole, Jewel; one barrel fruit, Edna, Perry; one barrel fruit, Oneota, Decorah; one box apples, Humboldt, Humboldt; two boxes apples, Amaryllis, Valley Junction; one box jelly, Olive Branch, Lyons; one barrel apples, Tina, Clear Lake; two boxes apples, Lucile, Rockwell; one box jelly and nuts, Luther, Luther; one barrel fruit, Enterprise, Keota; one box fruit, Denison, Denison; one box fruit, Pilot Mound, Pilot Mound; one box fruit, Brighton, Brighton; one box fruit, Morning Star, Elberon; one barrel fruit, Ruth, Burlington; one box fruit, Pisgah, Pisgah; one barrel fruit, Washta, Washta.

Miscellaneous Donations from September 1, 1919 to September 1, 1920

One quilt, Misses Gilpin and Bolander, Des Moines; one dozen pillow cases and one dozen aprons, Beulah Aid, Sioux City; one quilt Neola, Neola; two comforts, Rebekah Circle, Thompson; two comforts, three blankets, Pocahontas. Rolfe; one box towels, Hill City, Mt. Vernon; five quilts, P. N. G. Association, Webster City; one box clothing, Oriole, Jewel; two quilts, P. N. G.s, Eldon; one comfort, one box books, two boxes toys, Star of Hope Kensington, Clinton; three comforts, Three Link Circle, Carroll; one box rabbits, Brothers of Eagle Grove; three comforts, P. N. G.'s Ottumwa; one box toys and candy, Empress, Ft. Madison; one box pillow slips and sheets, P. N. G.'s, Springville; two comforts, Ruthven, Ruthven; one comfort, Naomi Circle, Alta; one box dolls and books, Ladies' Auxiliary, Grinnell; one doll, Mr. and Mrs. Ashbaugh, Sigourney; two boxes toys and jam, Sigourney; aprons and hose, Diadem, Cherokee; doll hats and sweaters, Bessie Viles, Shellsburg; one box clothing, Iola, Minden; one bushel pop corn, R. E. Booth, Cleghorn; two pails candy, Letts, Spen-

cer Company, Mason City; one pail candy, one box of scratch paper, J. M. Hazlett and wife, Mason City; two pails candy, Royal Blue, Manley; one box robes, Central, Carroll; one quilt, Priscilla, Cumberland; Christmas tree, Independent Grain Company, Mason City; magazines and cards, O. E. Shoup, Nashua; package white cloth, Imogene, Sac City; two comforts, Rebekah Circle, Forest City; six quilts, Columbia, Stuart; one package valentines, J. B. G. Club, Mason City; one package valentines, school children, Shellsburg; one package nightgowns, Alice Butt, Clinton; one package towels, Bon Ami, Fort Dodge; one box clothing, Anna Johnson, New London; three comforts, Indianola, Indianola; two nursery quilts, Mispah, Guthrie Center; one box of night gowns and one package of underwear, Marian, Ames; one nursery quilt, B. B. B. Association, Jefferson; two boxes clothing, one book and pictures, Bagley, Bagley; twelve dozen eggs, Little Sioux, Correctionville; three wool dresses, P. N. G. Circle, Walnut; one bag popped corn, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg, Sioux City; two comforts, Powhatan, Plover; one wool comfort, Scarlet, Pocahontas; one quilt, Fanny Taylor, Lynnvile; one quilt, Zala, Sioux City; six gowns and six aprons, Naomi Circle, Algona; one quilt, Star of Truth, Clinton; two quilts, Ariel, Scranton; Piano, Delilah, State Center; two kiddie kars, two rockers, Star of Maine, Cedar Rapids; twelve gowns, six undergarments, P. N. G. Club, Keokuk; two boxes candy, George Brownlee, Ventura; one box fireworks, H. L. Dorman, Hartley; box dolls and toys, Society Jr. Aid, Burlington; one comfort, P. N. G. Circle, Walnut; box ready made clothing, Goldfield, Goldfield; twelve Edison records, E. K. Rich, Grinnell; one box chums, Mr. Smith, Chicago; one sack candy, E. B. Clinton, Marshalltown; one box candy, two boxes peaches, Eugene Ford, Mitchellville.

Cash Donations, September 1, 1919, to September 1, 1920

Balance	\$ 687.27
Joint Meeting, Humboldt	7.60
S. B. Hutchins, Glenwood	4.00
Chas. Sabor, Kansas City	10.00
Convention, Decorah	15.00
Convention, Woolstock	2.46
Georgia Quigley, President, Des Moines	236.94
Lizzie Mitchell, Council Bluffs	3.00
Ruth, No. 12, Burlington	5.00
Collection at Ames Assembly	65.00
Star of Hope Kensington, Clinton	5.00
Rebekah Club, Washington	5.00
Arlington, No. 328, Arlington	3.75

R. H. McDowell, Marshalltown -----	25.00
Rebekah Club, McIntire -----	5.00
Convention, Monticello -----	.80
Diadem, No. 372, Cherokee -----	10.00
Summit, No. 121, Alta -----	5.00
Marshall Aid, Marshalltown -----	5.00
Alpine, No. 251, Teeds Grove -----	2.00
Fern, No. 170, Maynard -----	5.00
P. N. G. Association, Marshalltown -----	5.00
Galilee, No. 90, Thompson -----	4.86
Mary J. Holmes, Chariton -----	3.00
Scott-Zedoka, No. 2, Davenport -----	5.00
Electric, No. 331, Marshalltown -----	37.05
Moonlight, No. 400, Hawkeye -----	7.50
Pond Lily, No. 19, Lake View -----	5.00
Ruth Aid, Burlington -----	5.00
Toledo, No. 307, Toledo -----	2.00
Zerah, No. 210, Rockwell City -----	2.00
Cresco, No. 284, Cresco -----	10.00
Mrs. H. B. Kling, Woodbine -----	78.00
Junietta, No. 185, Eagle Grove -----	65.20
Temple, No. 54, Waterloo -----	15.00
Helping Hand, No. 517, Tipton -----	10.00
Zimri, No. 558, Washington -----	7.00
Burt, No. 585, Burt -----	11.50
New Market, No. 427, New Market -----	5.16
Beaman, No. 554, Beaman -----	5.00
Boone Valley, No. 584, Corwith -----	2.00
Shepherd Publishing Company -----	5.00
Gruver, Sub. Gruver -----	75.75
P. N. G. Club, Ida Grove -----	10.00
John W. Bangs, Plainview, Nebraska -----	1.00
Love, No. 345, Hiteman -----	5.00
G. D. Robertson, New Jersey -----	1.00
Margaret, No. 237, Newton -----	6.70
Eden, No. 126, Linden -----	15.00
Interest on bonds -----	3.00
Spencer, Spencer -----	25.00
Grace, No. 50, Fort Dodge -----	10.00
Harmony, No. 55, Estherville -----	5.00
Ladies' Auxiliary Patriarchs Militant, Dept. of Iowa -----	10.50
Marian, No. 108, Ames -----	11.23

Total ----- \$1,577.27

Disbursements

Piano -----	\$ 340.00
Edison -----	285.00
Crochet thread -----	14.40
Fruit for Thanksgiving -----	17.50
Fruit for Christmas and New Year's -----	45.70
Christmas candy and nuts -----	46.95
Cigars -----	5.50
Ties for men and boys -----	20.10
Handkerchiefs for men and boys -----	10.00
Handkerchiefs for ladies and girls -----	10.00
House slippers for boys and girls -----	64.00
Stationery -----	7.00
Toys -----	22.54
Books -----	22.85
Picture -----	8.29
Music -----	5.30
Entertainment for boys and girls -----	10.00
Ice Cream -----	32.10
Coat Hangers -----	6.00
To two boys, \$3.00 each -----	6.00
Light globes for tree -----	2.40
Sparklers -----	5.00
Strawberries -----	8.00
Box oranges -----	7.50
Box lemons -----	3.45
Three boxes pears -----	6.38
Canteloups -----	7.00
Subscription to Woman's Home Companion -----	3.00
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Total -----	\$1,021.96
Balance, September 1, 1920 -----	555.31
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	\$1,577.27

That part of this report from September, 1919, until May, 15, 1920, was compiled and written by Sister Alta Striker, and we are very grateful to her for her kindness in so doing. We have found the trustees and advisory board ever ready and willing to help us in solving some of the real problems which confront us; we look forward to their coming with pleasure.

In conclusion we wish to invite each and every Odd Fellow and Rebekah in the state to come and visit our "Homes."

Sincerely in F., L. and T.,

A. W. STUBBS, Superintendent.

HARRIETT STUBBS, Matron.

Report of Chairman of Committee on Homes

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Dear Brothers: On May 22d, I received notice from Grand Master Rodgers that Brother A. C. Cherry had resigned as Chairman of the Homes Committee, in order to take up his duties as a member of the Board of Trustees, and offering me the appointment, which I accepted.

Brother Cherry had made one visit to the Homes and from him I learned that he had made several suggestions regarding planting more fruit and enlarging the garden so that more of the vegetables, used at the Homes, could be raised on the farm. I heartily agree with his suggestions and will only add, that, should it be found necessary, in order to protect the garden, same might be fenced with a woven fence.

Grand Master Rodgers requested me to be present at a board meeting at the Homes on June 9th, and accordingly I attended and was present during the entire session. This being my first visit to the Homes in an official capacity, I took this opportunity to look through both Homes and also the farm. I found everything in very good condition and crops doing fine.

In July, while attending Council meetings at P. M. Park, I again

visited the Homes and was pleased to note improvements both in the Homes and on the farm, crops had been tended in good shape and war had been made on the weeds with good results.

The first week in September I attended a joint meeting of the Board of Trustees and Advisory Board. At this meeting I investigated all bills and invoices of purchases made, for the Homes, during the year, for the purpose of comparing prices paid at the Homes and elsewhere. I am pleased to report that our Superintendent has carefully watched the corners and in most cases has been able to obtain wholesale prices.

In looking over the farm, at this time, I was surely pleased with the improvements made over last year and hope to see more improvement in the future.

The Board of Trustees will make a complete report as to details and it would only be repetition for me to go into details. I do want to say, however, that the amount appropriated for the Homes must be increased in order to meet the rising cost of everything used in and about the Homes.

I would recommend that Rule 2 of the Rules and Regulations of the Home be repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof, viz.:

Rule 2. A brother or sister applying for admission to the Home, and who has no wife or husband living, and no minor child or children dependent upon him or her for support, shall, as a condition precedent to admission, be required to surrender, assign, transfer, and set over to the Grand Lodge of Iowa for the use and benefit of the Home, all of his or her property, both real and personal, including life insurance, property in expectancy, and benefits from fraternal or other organizations; provided, however, that the Grand Lodge shall not be empowered to expend such property, or the income or the proceeds from the sale thereof, except in such an amount as will cover the entire cost of maintaining the said resident, until after the death of said resident, in which event the remainder of the estate shall become the absolute property of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, to be used for the benefit of the Home. Provided, however, should a member desire to leave the Home after being admitted, or should the Board of Trustees

decide that the interests of the Home require that such members should leave the Home, any property which may have been conveyed or donated to the Home by said member, after deducting a pro rata amount for the maintenance of said Home, while he or she was a resident thereof, shall be repaid to said member.

I think it is no more than right, that a brother or sister desiring to make the Home their residence for the remainder of their life, should turn in all their property rather than only a part. I would also recommend that Section 43, Article 3, as to compensation of the members of the Board of Trustees, be rewritten to make it so clear that it cannot be misconstrued.

I believe we should be in position to receive all children eligible to the Homes under our Constitution, and I should dislike to see any turned away for lack of room, therefor it is my humble opinion that the building of the dormitory, ordered by the last Grand Lodge, should not be delayed another moment, but should be built and completed without further delay.

In many respects this year has been a hard one for the Trustees and all who are connected with the management of the Homes, but I believe that better things are in store and that Brother and Sister Stubbs as Superintendent and Matron of the Homes, will get everything arranged to the satisfaction of the membership of this Grand Lodge.

In conclusion let me say that the Rebekah Assembly, through its Advisory Board, should be highly commended for their good work in behalf of our Homes. It is no small effort to keep these Homes furnished and to look after the payment for the education of the children, that they have been doing for some time. I would urge all members of the Order to make an extra effort to visit the Homes, then, and then only, will they realize the great good that is being accomplished by Iowa Odd Fellowship.

Fraternally submitted,

OTTO WINDRATH,

Chairman Homes Committee.

Grand Representative's Report

In compliance with the Constitution of the Grand Lodge which requires a report of the Grand Representatives we hereby present a condensed statement of such matters as we deem of general interest in this jurisdiction.

Boston Hospitality

We will long remember the efforts put forth to show The Sovereign Grand Lodge a good time. Saturday, September 25th, a boat was chartered to take us to the noted city of Plymouth, where our fathers landed three hundred years ago. Dinner was furnished us at the different churches; cigars were given to the brothers, and a box of candy to the sisters. Sunday services were held in Trinity Episcopal Church. Automobile rides to Arlington and Concord with many other kindnesses which we can not describe.

Monday morning The Sovereign Grand Lodge opened in form. The Iowa delegation drew very prominent seats, Nos. 171, 172, 173 and 174, the first seats to the left of the presiding officer.

The Grand Representatives from Iowa received committee appointments as follows: W. S. Kight, on State of the Order; C. E. Alexander, on Finance; G. R. Ahrens, on Mileage and Per Diem, and J. W. Frizzell, on Petitions.

Parade

Marching Odd Fellows rouse high enthusiasm. For nearly five hours more than 300,000 spectators warmly applauded a procession of 40,000 devotees of Friendship, Love and Truth, as they filed through the city's streets. Costumes and alignment of 19,000 Rebekahs were striking features of the event. Scores of beautiful symbolic floats, and Patriarchs Militant made gorgeous array.

Election of Officers

Joseph Oliver, of Ontario, Grand Sire; Lucian J. Eastin, of Missouri, Deputy Grand Sire; John B. Goodwin, Grand Secretary, and Wm. Cox, Grand Treasurer.

Toronto, Ontario, was selected as the place for the next meeting of The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Decisions of the Grand Sire

The decisions of the Grand Sire, as amended and approved by The Sovereign Grand Lodge, are as follows:

DECISION No. 1.—Does the action of The Sovereign Grand Lodge at the 1919 annual session (Journal 1919, pages 225, 242, 254-255) authorizing Grand Bodies to “elect their officers in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Grand Bodies” nullify sub-section (b) of section 402, which provides that “a P. G., when away from the vicinity of his own Lodge, may not cast his vote in another Lodgs?” This where the Grand Officers are elected by Past Grands voting in their Subordinate Lodges.

Answer.—Grand Bodies, under the amendment of 1919, may now authorize those qualified to vote for Grand Officers to cast their ballots in Subordinate Lodges or Encampments other than their own when away from the vicinity of their own Lodge or Encampment. The amendment allows the Grand Bodies to provide for the counting of such ballots.

DECISION No. 2.—May a Grand Lodge authorize the president and secretary of a Rebekah Assembly to sign charters issued for Rebekah Lodges in the following form:

-----, Grand Master,
-----, Grand Secretary,
-----, President,
-----, Secretary.

Answer.—Yes. The charters, however, are furnished from the Grand Secretary’s office but no charters are provided at this time, I am advised by the Grand Secretary, for the signatures of both the Grand Lodge officers and the Assembly officers. All charters should be obtained from the Grand Secretary’s office.

DECISION No. 3.—Can a Grand Master compel a Rebekah Lodge to issue a withdrawal card when a member has been accepted on an official certificate according to section 525-b of the Code or may the Lodge refuse to do so according to section 87-b?

Answer.—Sections 87 and 525 of the Code do not conflict. Each is distinctive from the other. Section 87 relates generally to withdrawal cards and has reference to the desire of a member to discontinue membership in a Subordinate Lodge and yet preserve evidence of such membership and his standing in the Order (Code, Section 71) and is granted by vote of the Lodge. Section 525 has no reference to appli-

cation for membership in another Lodge upon a withdrawal card. It only applies to members who seek membership in another Lodge upon either a visiting card or an official certificate. If such member is elected to membership in another Lodge his home Lodge must grant the withdrawal card upon receiving due notice if he is free from all charges, arrearages for dues, and pays the required fee. It is mandatory upon the Lodge to grant it upon all provisions of Section 525 being complied with and the Grand Master may compel the home Lodge to grant it.

DECISION No. 4.—At the last session of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, Section 841 of the Code was revised to conform with Section 87 and as the new revision does not mention the Vice Grand the question is asked is it intended to include the Vice Grand?

Answer.—No.

And does the new revision mean that the dispensation to install one of these two officers from the floor such dispensation must come from the Grand Master or may his deputy issue it?

Answer.—From the Grand Master.

DECISION No. 5.—Would a by-law of a Rebekah Lodge that has been approved by its Grand Body stating that a Noble Grand prior to announcing the result of the ballot could call for a new ballot, conflict with Section 520 of the Code and Sovereign Grand Lodge Journal 5193-5245?

Answer.—It does. Section 519 imposes the duty on the Noble Grand to declare the result of the ballot and Section 520 provides that errors made in the taking of the ballot may be corrected by a majority vote. No power is vested in the Noble Grand to order a new ballot except by order of a majority vote of the Lodge.

DECISION No. 6.—Is a Lodge compelled to pay sick benefits to a brother serving his country in Europe provided his family is not dependent upon him and he leaves no wife nor children and all his funeral expenses have been paid by the Government?

Answer.—No.

DECISION No. 7.—Inquiry by Grand Master. Two Lodges in this Jurisdiction wish to consolidate. "A" Lodge No. 11 and "B" Lodge No. 84, both in the same town and take the name of "C" Lodge No. 2. There is no number "2" in the State, this Lodge having consolidated with another Lodge some years ago. Has the Grand Master the power

to grant such permission by allowing these Lodges to take on consolidation an older number than either of the numbers used by the Lodges who wish to consolidate or must they use one of the numbers of the Lodges consolidated? Some members of Lodges who have smaller numbers than number "11" are objecting to the latter procedure.

Answer.—The right to authorize the consolidation of Subordinate Lodges is given by The Sovereign Grand Lodge to legislation to be enacted by Grand Bodies. (Code, Sections 762, 763). The Grand Master has the power to grant permission for the consolidation of the two Lodges named with such number as he may determine not already taken by another Lodge if such power has been conferred upon him by the Grand Lodge in the Jurisdiction referred to.

DECISION No. 8.—The Constitution of a Grand Lodge provides: "29. Should a vacancy occur in the office of Deputy Grand Master, Grand Representative, Grand Warden, Grand Secretary, or Grand Treasurer, by death, resignation, suspension, or otherwise, during the recess of this Grand Lodge, such vacancy shall be filled by a qualified member to be chosen by a majority of the remaining elective officers, provided always that the person so chosen shall serve only until the next annual session of the Grand Lodge, but in the event of the term in the vacant office being still unexpired, the remainder of such unexpired term shall be filled by nomination and election as is heretofore provided." "32. In the event of the death, resignation or removal from office of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall become Grand Master until the next regular session of the Grand Lodge thereafter." A Grand Master dies. Query: Does the Deputy Grand Master become the Grand Master or the Acting Grand Master? Is the office of Deputy Grand Master vacant? Does the term until the next regular session of the Grand Lodge mean the opening of the Grand Lodge or until after the election and installation of the new officers?

Answer.—Under the terms of the Grand Lodge Constitution quoted, the Deputy Grand Master becomes the Acting Grand Master and serves as such only until the next regular session of the Grand Lodge thereafter, when the office shall be filled by nomination and election, as provided in its laws. The office of Deputy Grand Master does not become vacant thereby, unless the Deputy Grand Master is elected Grand Master to serve for the unexpired term, when the vacancy thus created must be filled as required by the law. (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 9.—Which controls in the case of conflict in provisions, the Code or the ritual?

Answer.—In all cases of conflict between the Code and the Ritual, the Ritual governs (see Decisions 16 and 47, pages 18, 290, 293, Journal 1911.) (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 10.—Is it legal for a Subordinate Lodge to admit a man over fifty years of age as a non-beneficial member by initiation, he never having been a member of the Order?

Answer.—Yes, if your Grand Lodge or Grand Encampment shall have so provided by law.

DECISION No. 11.—Is it permissible for a Subordinate Lodge to admit to membership by reinstatement on a dismissal certificate or a defunct certificate a brother who had previously been suspended for non-payment of dues or whose Lodge has ceased to work or who had not retained membership in the Order for five years or more?

Answer.—No. (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 12.—May a withdrawal card issued by a Lodge in Amsterdam, Holland, be presented and the applicant admitted to a Lodge in this country?

Answer.—Such card may be accepted and the applicant admitted upon complying with the laws of the Jurisdiction relating to the admission to membership.

DECISION No. 13.—Has the proclamation issued by Grand Sire Kuykendall on April 19, 1909, calling for the expulsion of Orientals from the I. O. O. F. been cancelled or altered in any way or is it still in force?

Answer.—It has not been cancelled or altered in any way and is still in force. The proclamation referred to, however, did not call for the expulsion of any designated class of persons but referred specifically to those persons who violated the provisions of the law of the Order (Journal 1883, pages 9361 and 9363) which was repeated in the proclamation. (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 14.—Is it illegal for a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows to belong to the Oriental Order of Humility and Perfection?

Answer.—No facts are set forth as to how or in what manner a member acquires membership in the aforementioned Order or what is requisite to gain membership therein. If any of the provisions of the law of this Order contained in its Legislation of 1883, Journal pages 9361-9363 are violated then such act would be illegal, otherwise it would not. (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 15.—Should an Odd Fellow be prosecuted for joining the Oriental Order of Humility and Perfection?

Answer.—Any member who violates the laws of the Order is subject to punishment. None of the facts are set forth in the question so that it is not possible to determine whether an offense has been committed or not. (Decision by S. G. L.)

DECISION No. 16.—Several Lodges maintain club rooms in which the members conduct friendly card games. Outsiders join in this pastime. The playing is indulged in on Sunday and has thereby caused comment and criticism by outsiders and has led to dissension among the members. Should this practice in these club rooms be allowed?

Answer.—No. The playing of games in the ante-rooms or club rooms of the Order should not be indulged in or allowed on Sunday. The members of the Order in the case mentioned should be advised accordingly, and if they thereafter continue playing in the rooms on Sunday they will be guilty of conduct unbecoming an Odd Fellow and subject to punishment accordingly. The rooms under control of the Lodge should be maintained in keeping with the high standing of the Order.

DECISION No. 17.—A Lodge duly elected and installed a brother as Vice Grand. During his term, while attending each session of his Lodge, he was inducted into the military service of the U. S. A. and served until the close of the war. Said Lodge, immediately upon the brother's induction into service declared his office vacated, elected and installed another brother as Vice Grand. This latter brother was thereafter elected and installed as Noble Grand, certified to the Grand Lodge as a Past Grand and received the Past Grand and Grand Lodge degrees at the 1919 session.

Did the Lodge have the right to elect and install the second brother as Vice Grand and Noble Grand and confer upon him the honors of the office of Noble Grand, or should they have left the offices unfilled by election and allowed the brother who went into the service to keep the chair of Noble Grand upon his return and thereby become entitled to the honors instead of the second brother?

What right or remedy has the brother who entered the service? Is it possible for him to receive the honors of the office of Noble Grand, be certified as Past Grand to the Grand Lodge and have conferred upon him the Grand Lodge degrees?

Answer.—Assume that the Vice Grand was in good standing at the time he entered the army, he continued in good standing and was en-

titled to all the honors and emoluments which followed service for a full term as Vice Grand, provided he remained in the army during such period. He is not entitled to the honors of Noble Grand unless he had been elected to that office and was serving therein at the time he entered the army, when the same provisions would follow as suggested if he was serving as Vice Grand.

The Lodge had no right to declare the office of Vice Grand vacant and elect a brother in place of the brother elected to that office and serving in the army as before stated. The records of the Lodge should show that the brother in the military service was excused from further attendance and another brother, who was entitled to be elected to the position of Vice Grand should have performed the duties of that office during the absence of the Vice Grand in the service. The brother, however, who was elected Vice Grand and thereafter, as I assume from the inquiry, elected Noble Grand, would be entitled to the honors of the latter office if he complied with the provisions of the law of the Jurisdiction to entitle him to those honors.

DECISION No. 18.—Code Section 785, General Laws of the I. O. O. F. reads: "Encampments. All Subordinate Encampments shall hold their meetings semi-monthly, except where yearly terms have been provided, Grand Encampments may authorize meetings to be held monthly instead of semi-monthly."

Statement.—"A" claims that in accordance with the above section, Subordinate Encampments can hold regular meetings semi-monthly.

"B" claims that under said section, Subordinate Encampments must hold regular meetings at least semi-monthly but can hold regular meeting each week if provided by local by-laws.

Answer.—Encampments must hold sessions semi-monthly except in cases where local law authorizes sessions to be held monthly. Section 765 of the Code prescribes that regular terms of Subordinates shall be six months but that Grand Bodies may make the terms one year instead. The Sovereign Grand Lodge, 1899, page 33, 365-394, says the term of a Subordinate Encampment must be either six months or one year as the Grand Encampment may determine. The purpose of the law is to make twelve meetings a regular term. Encampments therefore may not meet in regular session weekly. "A" is therefore correct. Grand Bodies may authorize Encampments to hold monthly meetings.

DECISION No. 19.—The Grand Secretaries and Grand Scribes are custodians of the diagrams and secret work and held responsible for the

same. Who should appoint their assistants during the annual session of Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments, assuming the Grand Secretaries and Grand Scribes are too busy to give instructions during the sessions?

Answer.—In the absence of any provision in your Grand Lodge Constitution or your Grand Encampment Constitution the Grand Secretary and Grand Scribe of each of these bodies respectively should appoint their assistants at the meetings of the Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments to take charge of the secret work during those sessions as they are charged each with the responsibility of preserving the secrecy of such work.

An Act relative to the Control and distribution of Emergency Contributions

A measure regarding the distribution of emergency contributions was adopted as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any Grand Master, Grand Patriarch, Department Commander, President of a Rebekah Assembly, Grand or Subordinate Lodge or Encampment, Rebekah Lodge or Rebekah Assembly, Department Council or Canton, or any officer or member of any of said bodies, or any committee or representative thereof, to solicit aid or relief for any purpose or in any manner, either by direct request for funds, sale of tickets, or by any scheme whatever, from the Lodges, Encampments, Rebekah Lodges, or Cantons, or members of another jurisdiction, without having first obtained the written approval of the Grand Sire and the written consent of the Grand Master of such other Jurisdiction if such appeal is to be made to the Subordinate or Rebekah Lodges, or members thereof, or of the Grand Patriarch if such appeal is to be made to Encampments, or the members thereof, or of the Department Commander if such appeal is to be made to Cantons, or the members thereof. Such consent can only be obtained upon proper request therefor duly made by the Grand Master or Grand Patriarch, or Department Commander of the Jurisdiction desiring to solicit.

Section 2. Any Lodge, Encampment, Rebekah Lodge or Canton, which shall desire to ask pecuniary aid in consequence of loss by fire, public calamity, or for any other cause, shall first make application to the Grand Body having jurisdiction over it, and if it shall not be in the power of such Grand Body to render the aid required, such Grand Body may, with the written approval of the Grand Sire and subject to the provisions, conditions, and limitations of this act, ask the assist-

ance of other Grand Bodies of the same branch of the Order through the executive Grand Officers of such Grand Bodies who shall have power to issue circulars to their subordinates stating the circumstances and recommending that contributions be made.

Section 3. No appeal shall be issued which does not clearly and plainly set forth the purposes thereof, and in approving any appeal for aid or assistance the Grand Sire may impose such conditions, restrictions and limitations as to the character of the appeal, the extent and method of its circulation, the collection, remittance, accounting for and handling of all funds and properties, including the distribution thereof as he shall deem proper, necessary, and required.

Section 4. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to prevent the Grand Sire in the event of such general calamity or disaster from issuing on his own initiative, subject to the conditions, rules and limitations of this act, a general appeal to the Order.

Section 5. In the event that aid, relief, or assistance of a financial or material nature is sought by reason of any widespread or general disaster, or calamity, caused by fire, flood, or otherwise, the Grand Sire in approving such appeal shall include in such appeal a direction that all funds, properties, supplies and aid contributed in response thereto, shall be paid to and forwarded to the Grand Treasurer of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, unless the General Relief Committee hereinafter named shall direct the same to be otherwise forwarded.

Section 6. The elective officers for the time being of The Sovereign Grand Lodge shall be and they are hereby constituted a Standing Committee of this Body to be known as "The General Relief Committee," which committee shall be subject to the general supervision of this Body and under the provisions of this act, receive, have charge of invest, care for, disburse and distribute all funds and properties contributed and received under any appeal, however issued, or otherwise accumulated or received for the general purposes of this act. The Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer shall ex-officio, be the secretary and treasurer of this committee.

Section 7. Such General Relief Committee, or the Grand Sire, with the approval thereof, may in writing designate and appoint such agents and representatives to aid in the work of collecting and distributing such funds and properties, as may be necessary and proper. Such agents and representatives shall make full reports showing in detail the monies and properties received by them, and how, when, and for what purpose it was disbursed or distributed. Such agents and representatives shall serve without compensation except that

they may be reimbursed for such traveling, clerical and necessary expenses as the Committee shall in writing approve.

Section 8. Except as set forth in the preceding section any and all monies and properties including contributions for other than local purposes from the General Relief Fund, authorized under Section 15, contributed in response to any appeal by whoever issued, shall be paid and forwarded to the Grand Treasurer of The Sovereign Grand Lodge. Any monies or property which shall be paid or forwarded to any other person, or to any committee, shall be deemed paid to, and to be accounted for to, the said Grand Treasurer and said General Relief Committee.

Section 9. All monies and properties received shall be kept separate and apart from other funds, and to be known as The General Relief Fund.

Section 10. The fund and properties so contributed shall be used for the relief of temporary distress and the immediate needs of unfortunate members of the Fraternity, their widows and dependents. Except for such temporary relief, no portion of such fund shall be used for the purpose of reimbursing those who have lost property, time, or employment, or who have otherwise been injured in their estate unless said Committee shall in writing approve such use and expenditure, and a record of such approval shall be entered upon the records of said Committee.

Section 11. Said General Relief Committee shall keep proper books of record, which books shall show all the funds and transactions of said Committee, and shall also keep proper books of account which books shall show in detail the receipts and expenditures of funds and properties coming under the supervision and control of such Committee.

Section 12. Said General Relief Committee shall disburse such funds only upon proper vouchers and written receipts showing details and items of expenditure and shall keep and preserve the same, and the books and accounts of said Committee shall be audited by the Finance Committee of The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Section 13. Said General Relief Committee shall at each annual session of The Sovereign Grand Lodge submit a statement of said funds and what, if any monies or properties have been received or disbursed by it since the submission of the last former statement. Such statement shall include in detail all items of expenditure or disbursement, together with the names of the recipients thereof, except

the names of brothers and sisters who have received temporary aid for temporary needs, and such report shall be printed in full in the Journal of The Sovereign Grand Lodge for the session at which such report is submitted. The Committee shall also prepare and file in the office of the Grand Secretary, to be there permanently preserved as a part of the records of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, a full, detailed, and complete report of each and every expenditure made from such General Relief Fund and property including therein the names of all persons to whom any money or property was paid, or contribution of any kind made, for any and every purpose whatever, including the date when, the purposes for which such payment or contribution was made, and the amount so paid or contributed, which said statement shall be subject to the inspection of the Finance Committee, and any member of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, and to such other members of the Order as the Grand Sire shall in writing approve. The Sovereign Grand Lodge shall have the power to order such last named detailed and full report to be published.

Section 14. Any contribution of monies or properties not used or expended shall be kept and retained in such General Relief Fund, to be held for future and similar emergencies and to be expended for the general purposes for which such fund was created, and all appeals for funds or aid shall state that any unexpended balance will be retained and used for the purposes in this act named.

Section 15. Subordinate Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments are hereby empowered to create by appropriate legislation and by taxation, or otherwise, a General Relief Fund to be held by such Subordinate Bodies and to be disbursed under such regulations as such Subordinate Bodies may prescribe, for the temporary relief, as herein defined, of the members of the Order who may suffer from a local or general calamity. Contributions from such fund may be made to the Relief Fund of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, or in answer to any appeal issued in lieu of an appeal to the general membership of such Subordinate Jurisdiction.

Section 16. In the event of a general calamity or periods of widespread distress, and when it shall appear to be necessary, the General Relief Committee of The Sovereign Grand Lodge is empowered by unanimous vote of such Committee, which shall appear of record, is empowered to use said fund to relieve immediate distress and suffering without confining the beneficiaries to members of this Order, and the Grand Sire in vacation, and by the unanimous consent of said Committee, which said consent shall be in writing and filed with the Grand Secretary, and become a part of the records of said Committee

and of the records of this Body, is authorized to appeal, subject to the general provisions of this act, for funds for the purposes set forth in this section, stating clearly in such appeal the purposes thereof.

Section 17. The law as set forth in Chapter 9, Sections 816 and 817 of the "Code of General Laws" and all the provisions of existing law contrary to the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

A. S. Pinkerton.
James W. Chapman, Jr.
Willis E. Parsons.

A report was adopted requiring all Grand Jurisdictions to make detailed report regarding members of the Order serving in the recent World War; said report to include amount paid for dues and benefits to members while in military or naval service.

An amendment to Section 55 of the Code was adopted as follows:

Sec. 55. FUNERAL EXPENSE. Subordinate bodies may be required whenever a brother who is in good standing and entitled to weekly sick benefits as hereinbefore provided, shall die and his funeral expenses shall be paid either out of the estate of the deceased brother or by a relative or friend, or other person, to provide and pay a funeral expense, the amount of which may be fixed by the Grand Body having jurisdiction by general law, or in the absence of such law, by Subordinate bodies by by-law, to the estate of the deceased or to the person or persons who shall incur such expense. But nothing herein shall be construed to require the payment of a funeral expense to any corporation, society or organization of which the deceased was a member, which shall have paid the funeral expenses and shall have incurred the same by reason of any obligation it owed to the deceased by virtue of his membership in such organization, nor shall any obligation rest upon a Subordinate body to pay a funeral expense to the Government where the deceased brother was buried at Government expense.

An amendment to Section 1, Article 9, providing for Biennial Sessions of The Sovereign Grand Lodge was lost; the Iowa delegation voting for it as per instructions.

Twenty-One Year Age Limit

The proposed amendment to the Constitution, reducing the age limit of men desiring to become members of our Order, from twenty-one years to eighteen years, was indefinitely postponed.

Conclusion

We, your Representatives, wish to thank the membership for the high honor conferred upon us. We were present during the entire session, and at each meeting of the various committees upon which we served. Upon all matters which came before the Body we took action and voted thereon for what we thought to be the best interests of the Order.

Fraternally yours,

W. S. KIGHT,
C. E. ALEXANDER,
Grand Representatives.

Grand Master's Supplemental Report

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa, Greeting:

Brothers: I take great pleasure in recording the official acts, and transactions of my office as Grand Master, since my advance report of September 1, 1920.

In one week from today, my term as Grand Master will have ended, and my authority pass to my successor. Again I want to thank each and every member of the Grand Jurisdiction of Iowa for the loyal support and co-operation accorded me, and for the many courtesies and kindnesses extended me.

Acknowledgments

I most sincerely thank Grand Patriarch F. F. Wunder and General A. O. Peterson for fraternal courtesies shown, and congratulate them on the splendid success attained during their administration.

Communications

The official communications have been published in the Iowa Odd Fellow regularly each issue, and communication No. 24, my last communication, is now in the hands of the publisher. To prepare 24 official communications is a tremendous task, and especially when you consider the enormous correspondence and other duties incident to the office of Grand Master. Each communication in its turn has been written, always at night, and after every letter has been answered. In fact I am safe in saying that over twenty of them have been written after midnight. I trust that they have accomplished some good.

Odd Fellows Temples Burned

On October 9th the I. O. O. F. Temple at Osage was burned to the ground, completely destroying everything. The Seal, Charter, Rituals, Records, everything burned, and notwithstanding the admonition and instructions to the D. D. G. M. and to the Lodges, one of the insurance policies had been allowed to expire, and as a result only \$500 of insurance was in force. Representatives and Past Grand Masters, does it not appeal to you that it is time for the Grand Lodge of Iowa to control the insurance on Subordinate Lodge property as many other jurisdictions are now doing?

Recommendations

I heartily recommend that the Grand Lodge of Iowa control and cause to be written adequate Fire Insurance on all Lodge property in this Grand Jurisdiction. This can be arranged through a blanket policy, or by specific policies, the premium to be paid by the Grand Lodge of Iowa, and collected with the per capita tax from each Subordinate Lodge. Four temples have been destroyed this year, and two of them with practically no insurance.

I most earnestly recommend that this Grand Lodge establish by resolution a Supervisory building committee to be composed of five members, to whom all plans and specifications, together with a financial statement of the Lodge intending to build must be submitted, and the approval of said committee to be secured before any Subordinate Lodge can contract to build. Brothers, this seems imperative to me. Many Lodges build and finance the building, or attempt to do so, after they have become hopelessly involved, and many I. O. O. F. Temples have been lost, and Lodges hopelessly discouraged because of a financial load that they were unable to cope with. I would respectfully suggest that should this recommendation meet with the approval of this Grand Lodge, that the title of said committee be designated and called "The Grand Lodge Supervisory Building Committee" and their duties and authority to be defined by this Grand Lodge.

Subordinate Decisions

Statement.—If a member who was in good standing on January 1, 1920, but does not pay the secretary for first quarter dues until March 29, 1920, and the last meeting night of our Lodge was on March 25th, and his receipt was dated April 1, 1920, the next succeeding regular meeting night. The brother was taken sick on April 10, 1920.

Question.—Was he legally entitled to sick benefits?

Answer.—No. the brother became delinquent on the last day of March, 1920, and was not entitled to benefits until thirty days thereafter.

Question.—Is a brother of our Lodge legally reported if he reports to a brother of this Lodge, not an officer, or member of the relief or sick committee, and the brother forgets to report him?

Answer.—No, a brother is not legally reported to the Lodge by simply telling some brother, not a member of the relief or sick committee. He must report to the N. G. or the relief or sick committee within one week. See Sections 65 and 66 Subordinate Constitution, also read case of H. C. Dimond vs. Puckechetuck Lodge No. 43.

Statement.—A brother of our Lodge admitted by transfer July 1, 1920, died after a membership of less than three months in our Lodge.

Question.—Is his nearest of kin entitled to the \$50, which our Lodge pays in case of death, or must he be a contributing member six months?

Answer.—Yes. See report No. 9 on page 189, Grand Lodge Journal for 1919; provided all the requirements of Section 147a, entitled "Transfer Certificate" have been met, which correctly interpreted means that the said brother must have signed your Constitution, due notice given to his former Lodge, and the further fact that he was in good standing at the time of his death.

Question 2.—Is a member, transferred from one Lodge to another, entitled to sick benefits until he has been a member six months, of the Lodge transferred to?

Answer.—Yes.

Question.—Is it the ruling of the Grand Lodge that the Subordinate Lodges are compelled to give jewels to members who have been members for 25 consecutive years?

Answer.—No. The Grand Lodge has not ruled that a Subordinate Lodge must purchase jewels for members entitled to them. The individual member may buy a jewel, or the Lodge may purchase a jewel for him. See Art. (o), Section 315, Code of General Laws.

Rebekah Decisions

Statement.—A lady desires to join our Rebekah Lodge. Her husband, not an Odd Fellow, is confined in an insane asylum, and pronounced as incurable.

Question.—Is she eligible to membership?

Answer.—No, unless she has a father, brother or son, in good standing in the Order, or if she had a father, brother or son, deceased, who was in good standing at the time of death.

Statement.—I have been instructed by this Lodge to make the following statement, regarding a recent ballot on a petition for membership in this Lodge. After the first ballot which proved unfavorable was taken, there was a motion to take another ballot, as a member declared there must have been a mistake. The second ballot was taken and the V. G. reported the ballot favorable, but N. G. declared she did not find it favorable, as she saw one more black ball than the V. G. Consequently, upon motion the third ballot was taken, which proved unfavorable.

Question.—Was the above legal and can the ballot on this petition be reconsidered and another ballot be taken at our next regular meeting?

Answer.—No. The candidate was rejected on the first ballot and you had no right nor authority to take the second ballot, except as provided in Section 15, Rebekah Constitution, and then you must remember that all members who cast black balls must voluntarily make a motion to reconsider the ballot.

Suppose that all who cast black balls joined in a motion to reconsider, you then only vote to see whether you will reconsider or not. If they decide in the affirmative, you do not vote on the application the same night, but it must lay over until a succeeding regular meeting night.

Therefore your actions in allowing the second and third ballot were illegal and contrary to the laws governing Subordinate Lodges and the candidate stands rejected.

Resignations

J. J. Grove, Chairman Charter and By-Laws Committee, resigned. Geo. W. O'Brien appointed.

J. O. Anderson, Representative, resigned, W. H. Kemery appointed.

Samuel Walker, Representative Sub-District No. 4, District No. 77, resigned, C. C. Cook appointed.

Having been informed that Brother A. C. Curtis had for some time been out of the Jurisdiction of Iowa and would not return until after the Grand Lodge session and having written to him and receiving no reply and also having endeavored to reach him by wire and failing and desiring to have all the Finance Committee present, both at the auditing of the Grand Secretary's office and at Grand Lodge, I issued an order recalling the appointment of Brother Curtis as a member of the Finance Committee. I regret very much the fact that the order seemed necessary, but I could not hear from the brother and the fact that he was out of the Grand Jurisdiction of Iowa was the only reason for the order made.

By-Laws Approved

The following By-Laws and Amendments have been approved:

Subordinate

Full Code: Sept., No. 411; Oct., Nos. 50-309-407-707.
Full Code: Oct., No. 187.
Part Code: Sept., Nos. 73-247-727. Oct., Nos. 12-384.

Rebekah

Full Code: Sept., Nos. 47-54-77-79-233-305-338-374-470. Oct., Nos. 108-420.

The following full codes were misplaced and did not appear in the regular report:

Nos. 262, May. 119, June.
Part Code: Sept., Nos. 19-33-67-442. Oct., 28-29-41.

Summary

Subordinate:	Full Code	6
	Part Code	5
Rebekah:	Full Code	12
	Part Code	7
Total		30

Consolidations

Since my advance report, the following Lodges have complied with the provisions of Section 36, Grand Lodge Constitution, and I have issued orders for consolidation as follows:

Rebekah

Green Valley No. 397 with Iowa Rebekah Lodge No. 355.
Delilah No. 86 with Electric Rebekah Lodge No. 331.

Subordinate

Wacousta No. 669 with Prairie Valley Lodge No. 504.
Brazil No. 648 with Centerville Lodge No. 76.

Lodges Instituted

Rebekah

Urbana Star No. 122, September 29th, by Margaret Schechter,
President of the Assembly.

Articles of Incorporation Approved

Bondurant Lodge No. 243, Bondurant.
Tecumseh Lodge No. 181, Kellogg.
Lotos Lodge No. 705, La Porte City.
Pisgah Lodge No. 457, Pisgah.
Superior Lodge No. 674, Superior.

Dispensations

Issued since September 1, 1920.

To Klemme Lodge No. 445 to confer First, Second and Third degrees.

To Ft. Des Moines Lodge No. 25, for Center Star Lodge to confer First degree on three candidates.

To Sac City Lodge No. 323, to hold Three Link Party on October 12th.

To Davenport Lodge No. 7, to confer all the degrees on class October 9th.

To Toledo Lodge No. 179, to nominate and elect Noble Grand from the floor.

To Tecumseh Lodge No. 181 to hold a dance.

To Capitol Lodge No. 106, to take six candidates to Valley Junction, October 11th, to receive the First degree.

Dedications

Shellsburg Lodge No. 171, having purchased a building and hall and desiring to have said hall dedicated on October 15, 1920, I commis-

sioned Brother H. C. Ring, P. G. M., to dedicate this Temple. Brother Ring, assisted by Brother Newman, of Cedar Rapids, selected a staff from Cedar Rapids, for the dedication ceremony and the beautiful and impressive dedicatory ceremony was most beautifully and impressively exemplified.

It was impossible for me to be present at the dedication of Shellsburg Temple, as I had previously arranged to meet Grand Sire Oliver at Des Moines on this date. I thank Brother Ring and the loyal and enthusiastic brothers who co-operated and took part in the ceremony, and made it such a splendid success.

A detailed and itemized accounting of every cent expended by me, has been filed with the Grand Lodge Finance Committee. Their report will show that I exceeded my allowance in the sum of \$408.16, but I believe that the splendid records made this year, justified me in making and keeping the large number of engagements that I have filled.

Expense Account

Considering the number of visits made, the expense has not been as great as past years. I call your attention to the following: On page 143 of the 1919 Journal, you will note the sum of \$1,607.97 for Grand Master's expense; then on page 191, Report No. 33, you will note that the sum of \$107.97 was allowed, or, in other words, the difference between the \$1,500.00 appropriated and \$1,607.07 expended was allowed. Then on page 194 same Journal, Report No. 43, the Finance Committee recommended, and the report was adopted, adding \$500.00 more, or a total for eleven months of \$2,107.97, or a monthly expense allowance of \$191.80. The same committee recommended for a twelve months' term this year \$2,000.00, or a monthly allowance of \$166.66 notwithstanding the fact that hotel rates have been increased during the year and other necessities higher than last year.

Now the Odd Fellows of this Grand Jurisdiction received one of the best administrations in the history of the Order last year, and every cent was expended so that it brought many, many fold returns to this Grand Lodge and this comparison is only made for the purpose of showing why in my opinion I was justified in exceeding my allowance. It will be remembered that the term last year was only for eleven months, and this year for a full term of twelve months.

Visits

Made since September 1, 1920.

I have made thirty-two visits since my advance reports, and everywhere have been received with the finest courtesy and large au-

diances. Many meetings have had an attendance of 300 to 400, and others as high as 700. The greatest interest is apparent everywhere, and this Grand Jurisdiction was never in better working condition, and I venture the prophecy that the greatest gain in membership in the history of Iowa Odd Fellowship will result next year on account of this splendid condition.

The following D. D. G. Masters have made report:

L. E. Park, Tracy.

O. R. Thomas, Rossie.

Last Official Visit to the Homes

On October 5, 1920, I visited our Homes at Mason City. I found every resident happy and contented, the buildings in splendid condition, the farm is in the best condition I ever saw it, the best crops ever produced in evidence and the residents of the Homes all satisfied.

I congratulate Brother Stubbs, Superintendent, and Sister Stubbs, Matron, on the splendid success attained. It is up to every Odd Fellow and Rebekah in Iowa to loyally boost and co-operate with Brother and Sister Stubbs. They have made a wonderful success, and have made good. They assumed a tremendous task and duty, they deserve and are entitled to your support and co-operation.

Pool Table and Entertainment Fund

The pool tables for the old brothers at the Old People's Home needed new covers and repairs, other entertainment features were desired. I made a statement of the desires of the residents at the following meetings, and collections were taken and turned over to Brother A. W. Stubbs as follows:

Report of Pool Table and Entertainment Fund

RECEIPTS

Gruver Special Session	----\$ 9.00
Pleasantville collection	---- 13.48
Lacona collection	----- 7.39
Story County convention	-- 30.36
Webster City Lodge	----- 2.80
Stockport Special Session	-- 6.20

Total	-----\$69.23

DISBURSEMENTS

Table and cushion cover and	
pockets	-----\$38.43
Express	----- .51
Covering table	----- 9.00
Pocket linings, turning ball,	
glue and express	----- 2.43
Playing cards	----- 1.20

Total	-----\$51.57

Balance on hand September 1st-----\$17.66

Sincerely in F. L. & T.,

A. W. STUBBS, Supt.

Controversies

The most serious controversy met this year was settled Thursday night, October 13th, in Coon Valley Lodge No. 257. I was accompanied to Van Meter by Wm. Winegar and J. H. Spillers, Representatives from District No. 25; A. H. Estes, D. D. G. M., and Brother Robert Thompson, P. G.

I sent the D. D. G. M. to this Lodge on September 28th with instructions to bring about an adjudication of the troubles existing. He exerted every influence but to no avail. A motion was made to surrender the Charter, and 14 brothers voted in the affirmative, and 5 in the negative. The Lodge owns free of debt, the second story of a fine brick building, and have over \$1,300 in the treasury. They also own their furniture, paraphernalia, etc., and are nicely situated.

In this Lodge was found the worst possible division, strife and discord, party and sect, personal prejudice, charges and counter charges, concerning the handling of funds and otherwise.

I appointed Representatives Winegar and Spillers, and Brother Thompson, P. G., and member of this Grand Lodge, to take charge of all books, to make an auditing of the same, and report to the Lodge, and a copy to be filed with the Grand Lodge.

With the valuable assistance of the above named brothers, we proceeded to adjudicate the many and various difficulties, and at 3:00 a. m. apologies were made all around, everyone shook hands, and they promised by unanimous vote, to collectively engage in promoting the growth of Odd Fellowship in Van Meter and vicinity, and to live and act at all times as the principles, laws and teachings of our beloved Order have taught us, and intended we should live.

Only six meetings had been held since January 1, 1920, no installation of officers this term. The following conditions were named by me, to be met or I would arrest the Charter, and I do now recommend to this Grand Body, that provided they are not met, the said Charter be arrested. I feel confident that they will be met.

First, that said Lodge must meet and hold regular meetings.

Second, that the report of the auditing committee above named must show an acceptable accounting of the condition of all financial transactions and records.

Third, that the practice of said Lodge in loaning money to the members from General Fund without approved and proper security must cease.

Fourth, that all dissension, strife, discord, personal encounters, and attacks on other fraternal societies, must cease.

Fifth, that a period of ninety days would be granted them, during which time they would be on probation, to demonstrate to the Grand Lodge of Iowa, that they were sincere in the promises made above committee and the Grand Master.

To all these named conditions they unanimously agreed by vote.

Here was a real demonstration of bringing order and fraternal fellowship out of chaos.

I respectfully request that Representatives Winegar and Spillers add an oral report in addition to the report herein embodied. They are also directed to file with the Grand Secretary a written report of their audit findings.

An election of officers was held by the D. D. G. M. and the elective officers regularly installed by the Deputy.

Commissioned to Lecture

Worley, Rev. E. S., Clarion, Iowa.

Commissioned to Instruct

Bottenfield, E. V., Waterloo, Iowa.
Cameron, W. A., Des Moines, Iowa.
Cornish, C. E., Des Moines, Iowa.
Dickinson, H., Shellsburg, Iowa.
Harmon, L. L., Ft. Dodge, Iowa.
Henderson, C. O., Tipton, Iowa.
Henry, C. F., Keosauqua, Iowa.
Kleckner, D. I., Webster City, Iowa.
MacCanon, C. E., Des Moines, Iowa.
Miller, B., Cedar Falls, Iowa.
Morau, George, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Newman, I. L., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Pierson, F. A., Keosauqua, Iowa.
Peairs, H. W., Des Moines, Iowa.
Popelka, F. S., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Russell, Clarence, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Smith, H. A., Waterloo, Iowa.
Stow, W. W., Webster City, Iowa.
Torrance, Chas., Mt. Vernon, Iowa.

Wade, E. W., Arion, Iowa.
Wolff, Adolph, Cedar Falls, Iowa.
Smith, Norman D., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Rodgers, Frank F., Ames, Iowa.
Neal, O. F., Des Moines, Iowa.
Hronik, Joseph H., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

In the second paragraph, found on page 94, advance report, the name of Norman D. Smith should appear. I regret that this omission occurred. I had his name in my copy, and it was purely an accident on the part of the operator that his name was omitted. Brother Smith has held more schools of instruction, examined more brothers in the unwritten work, and caused to be issued more commissions, than any other member of the board. He has the work letter perfect, and has made a record as a member of the board, that places him in the front rank as an instructor.

Special Sessions

Held since September 1, 1920.

Stockport, September 8th.
Newton, September 20th.
Webster City, September 28th.
Toledo, September 30th.

A school of instruction was held at each special session, Brother Estes was present at Newton, Brother Brunton at Webster City, and Brother Norman Smith at Toledo, the three named brothers all being members of the Board of Instruction.

The special sessions and schools of instruction are a tremendous force for good. The greatest interest was manifest, a large number of little red books were sold.

A fine attendance was present at Stockport, and a splendid session resulted.

The Newton session was certainly a success from start to finish.

The Webster City session under the guiding hand of D. D. G. M. Brother J. K. Fear, a "Hummer" an estimated attendance of 500 present.

The Toledo session stands first from point of attendance, about 700 brothers in attendance, while Mapleton has the record for the largest class of Past Grands of any one session. Toledo has the record for attendance of members for the school of instruction and the degree work in the evening.

Some Records for You to Remember

Present Subordinate membership in Iowa 67,349.

Net gain in membership for fiscal year 4,266.

Net gain from January 1st to June 30th 2,994.

Not a delinquent Lodge in Iowa.

Three thousand five hundred keys to the unwritten work sold from October, 1919, to October, 1920.

Trefoil Rebekah Lodge No. 412, Goodell, Iowa

The Odd Fellows Temple at Goodell was completely destroyed by fire. The Rebekah Lodge lost everything. The Rebekah Lodge having failed to rehabilitate themselves, and the fact that all their property was lost, including Seal, Charter, Rituals, books and papers, and having refused to consolidate, I issued an order declaring said Lodge defunct, and the members thereof entitled to all the rights and privileges of a defunct Lodge. This order was made for the purpose of giving the few members that are interested, and desire to affiliate with some other Lodge the right and privilege of securing a defunct certificate, which by right they should be entitled to.

Grand Sire's Visit to Iowa

A momentous event in this year's history was the visit of Grand Sire Joseph Oliver, of Toronto, Canada, to Iowa. The Grand Sire spoke at Ames the evening of October 15th, in the beautiful new Temple of Ames Lodge No. 309. We appreciate your visit, Grand Sire Oliver, more than we can adequately express, and we sincerely thank you for the wonderful message you brought to us. The Grand Sire will be in attendance at the Grand Lodge session at Keokuk, until Wednesday night.

Statement Concerning Supplemental Report

I fully intended to make no engagement or dates after October 5th and to utilize the time from October 5th to 16th in preparing my supplemental report, and making proper arrangements for the Grand Lodge session, but the demands have been so insistent, and invitations so numerous, that I have accepted several more dates, therefore I am having this report and committee appointments printed, as was done last year, and several previous years.

I am of the opinion that the small cost in connection with the printing of this report is money well spent and I feel that the good

derived from the additional engagements will far more than pay the cost of printing. The meeting at Creston October 7th, where more than 400 Odd Fellows were present, was a wonderful meeting, as was also the meeting at Clarinda on October 8th, again the meeting on October 13th at Van Meter, where a serious controversy had arisen. In fact the additional dates filled have all proved truly wonderful meetings.

In Conclusion

With the exception of Grand Lodge week at Keokuk, my term of office has ended. Again I thank each and every brother and sister for your uniform kindness and many courtesies extended me. I am surrendering the office of Grand Master, with fraternal love and kindness toward each and every Odd Fellow and Rebekah in this Grand Jurisdiction, and I pledge to the incoming Grand officers, of all branches of Odd Fellowship, my hearty support and co-operation at all times.

“If I have stopped one heart from breaking,
I have not lived in vain.
If I have eased one life the aching,
Or cooled one pain,
Or helped one fainting robin
Into its nest again,
I have not lived in vain.”

Fraternally submitted, in Friendship, Love and Truth,

FRANK F. RODGERS, Grand Master.

Ames, Iowa, October 15, 1920.

Committee Appointments

Committee on Distribution: Chairman J. C. Koonz, O. G. Brown, Jas. W. Dow, W. C. Abney, W. H. Kemery, E. H. Sargent, J. M. Gardner, Chas. Barnholt, A. K. Rife, Chas. A. Darrah, C. O. Henderson.

Committee on Homes: Chairman Otto Windrath, Geo. W. Hooker, W. J. Flower, A. R. Cain, Guy L. Pond, F. R. McLaughlin, C. A. Jacobson, L. E. Holloway, T. W. Stevens, John Keil, F. H. McKinney, W. S. Kight, P. G. M.

Credentials—Chairman Wm. Wade, Homer Kellogg, J. K. Medberry, M. V. Secor, B. W. Pilkington, J. W. Porter, Harley Miller, Geo. G. Struthers, L. Nelson, James Pearsoll.

Judiciary: Chairman H. C. Ring, P. G. M., John P. Weir, Harry Koepf, C. H. Benson, Paul H. Shader, Chas. Launsbach, Jr.

Legislation: Chairman Z. A. Church, W. L. Slocumb, Wm. Wiese, Wm. Winegar, Chas. Heninger, E. A. Baumgartner, J. A. Cutting.

State of the Order: Chairman J. H. Henderson, P. G. M., S. I. Rutledge, F. W. Smith, F. M. Wheeler, A. B. Craven, J. H. Spillers, H. H. Bye, Eugene Ford, W. E. Harriman, P. G. M.

Finance Committee: Chairman F. P. Marvin, F. L. Albaugh, Geo. O. Free, G. R. Ahrens, M. A. Gettis.

Committee on Appeals: Chairman J. M. Hazlett, P. G. M., H. F. Wagner, P. G. M., O. H. Sweeney, P. G. M., G. L. Snyder, P. G. M., E. W. Cutting, P. G. M.

Committee on Charters and By-Laws: Chairman W. H. Winegar, N. Jasper Jones, P. G. M., J. B. Lamb, J. W. Campbell, E. D. Walsworth, Chas. A. Rice, R. C. McKray, C. B. Jacobs, J. E. Imus, F. C. Elliot.

Committee on Mileage and Per Diem: Chairman Dwight F. Davis, O. E. Johnson, J. S. Forgrave, L. K. Butterfield, Guy Everett, W. B. Daniels, A. E. Tyler, R. H. Lisetor, M. O. Fouts, J. B. Smith, C. F. Buker.

Committee on Districting the State: Chairman J. S. Bellamy, Chas. Launsbach, S. E. Rowe, L. L. Stedwell, B. V. Bridenstine, Andrew Mathieson, R. J. Spies, E. A. Banister, Berdette Hersom, J. D. Forbes.

Committee on Petitions: Chairman C. E. Alexander, Jack Asprey, Abe Pierce, John Whitsell, E. A. Cairns, A. C. Curtis, S. L. Jefferson, A. R. Lynn, J. R. Morris, Leo G. Dewey.

Committee on Election Returns: Chairman John Schreiner, Sam Harter, J. C. Austin, N. I. Seibert, C. L. Poland, O. P. Dotson, Zena Briggs, M. A. True, L. R. Wright, J. C. Kennedy.

Miscellaneous Business: Chairman D. B. Gunn, P. G. M., C. D. Evans, Geo. B. Johnson, H. H. Soper, A. H. Moravec, Frank Elliott, F. W. Kidder, Geo. F. Hillmer, Lester Seitzinger, J. L. Hicks.

Committee on the Rebekah Degree, Chairman Stymest Stevenson, P. G. M., Fred Herr, L. L. Harmon, C. E. Cornish, C. C. Cook, A. D. Crawford, O. L. Sohl, Fred Gulick, J. C. Cook.

The Grand Master announced the appointment of Grand Representative C. E. Alexander and Grand Representative-elect J. M. Hazlett to receive and present the Grand Sire to this Grand Body.

The Grand Master of Minnesota being in waiting the Grand Master appointed Past Grand Masters J. S. Bellamy, Stymest Stevenson, and Z. A. Church as a committee to receive and introduce him. Grand Master August Hohenstein on being presented by Past Grand Master Bellamy was welcomed to the Grand Lodge. Brother Hohenstein delivered a pleasing address to which appropriate response was made by Past Grand Master H. C. Ring.

Visit of the Grand Sire

It is indeed seldom that a Grand Jurisdiction is honored by the presence of the Grand Sire and the membership of Iowa was especially honored by having him with them at this session, and the pleasure of listening to his inspiring address. The committee appointed to receive the Grand Sire presented him to the Grand Lodge to which he was formally welcomed by the Grand Master. The Grand Lodge was then favored by a splendid address by the Grand Sire which was fittingly responded to by Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner.

Address of the Grand Sire

Grand Master, Officers and Brothers:

For the last few days I have had the privilege of being with your good Grand Master. I have received all the courtesies that it is possible for any man to receive in this state.

It is rather co-incidental that we meet in Grand Lodge session where Erie J. Leech, the esteemed and respected Grand Sire of the Order lived. For a great many years he attended the Sovereign Grand Lodge. He was elected Grand Sire in Toronto in 1890, and I had the pleasure and privilege of being present when he was elected. I also had the privilege of sitting in the Sovereign Grand Lodge with him for three years. I learned, as you all learned, to love, esteem and revere his memory.

I don't know that there is very much I can say on Odd Fellowship that you do not already know, but there are a few things that occurred to me as I read your Grand Master's report, and you will pardon me

if I make a few suggestions toward what I think is for the best interest of all orders.

One of the things that struck me very forcibly on reading the Grand Master's report is the fact that during the past year some two or three of your buildings have been burned and destroyed by fire, and you had very little or no insurance. In our jurisdiction no Lodge can build a hall without permission of the Executive Committee, during a recess of the Grand Lodge, and their business is to see that every hall is insured for at least 80 per cent of its value. I think that is good legislation. I think, if you have buildings and property that is worth anything, it is worth taking care of. I am a great believer in insurance. Everything I have is insured for 102 per cent, if I can get it. I am insured so that if anything happens I will not lose all. I learned that lesson early in life. I happened to be in a business when a fire took place, and I know that it can take a great deal of money in a very few moments. I got one or two lessons that were pretty costly, but perhaps it was the best lesson that I ever received, because since then I have taken good care, if a fire occurred, that I should lose no money. I am only making the suggestion. It is not necessary that you carry it out.

Then we are an organization that believes in taking care of the sick, the widow and the orphan, and I am a firm believer in a medical examination for every applicant for membership in our Order, for when a man once becomes a member of the Order he becomes a liability. I think that should be taken care of for our own protection. Then we have all of our officers bonded—the office, not the man. We paid bonding premiums for a good many years to various bonding organizations whose business it is to give that kind of insurance. Three years ago we decided that our Grand Lodge was large enough for us to go into that business ourselves. We decided when we got \$10,000 towards which each of the Lodges does something, and they paid us about the same as we would have to pay to some insurance company, we would stop making assessments on the Lodges. We are pretty nearly half way there now. I want to say to the very great credit of Odd Fellowship that we have never had to pay one single dollar. That is one very great credit I appreciated, and it applies to every district. There are some orders, perhaps, who have a little more of a social position than we have, but I doubt it, but we have a bond of unity, and therefore I claim that we have no peer so far as Odd Fellowship is concerned where there is distress.

Your Grand Master, as I have noticed from his report, has had the privilege of examining 250 or 300 sets of By-Laws. Is it fair that the Grand Master should have to do all that work, with all of the

other work that he does? We have a By-Laws committee, and we pay the chairman of that committee from \$100 to \$200 a year, according to the work he has to do. That relieves the Grand Master of a good deal of work. I know it is a pretty big task, as since I have been Grand Sire I have had to look over Grand Lodge Constitutions. You can think these things over, especially the suggestion with regard to insurance of your halls and buildings.

The institution of Odd Fellowship was formed over 102 years ago. The men who started it had very little idea of the result that was going to follow. I consider their action to be the natural consequence of being strangers in a strange land. Have you ever come into a strange city and walked down the street? If so, then imagine how that band of men must have felt. Well, those men, and some few other men, got together and organized and started the Lodge called the Manchester Unity, at that time. After that they started Washington Lodge No. 1, which is still in existence in the city of Baltimore, and doing good work. They had very little idea, and the men who were with them had very little idea, of what the result would be. If they only could rise up and see what Odd Fellowship is today and the good that they were the means of starting and compare the things of 102 years ago today as they are today they would be surprised. One of the very best things that happened a little later on was the starting of the Rebekah Degree. We now have over 800,000 women who are Rebekahs.

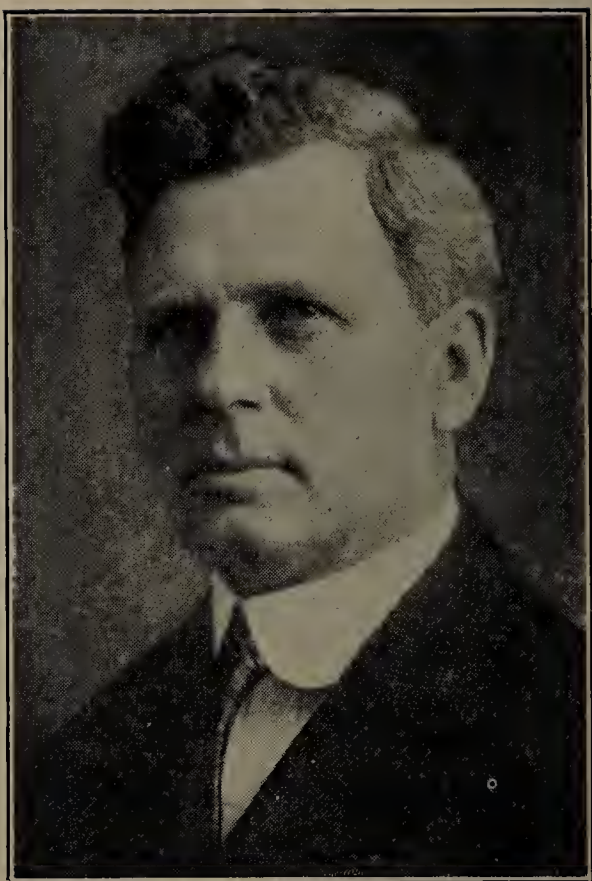
We are the first Order that decided we would have no liquor at our banquets or in anything connected with our Order. We taught men in this superb Order that they should love God and love their country, then take them to the banquet table and give them that which certainly had no warrant of God and was of no good to man or good to the Order. We decided a few years ago that no man who dealt in intoxicating liquor should become a member of the Order and I think that was good legislation. Then we started in to build our homes. God bless the man who ever conceived the idea that we should have homes for our orphaned boys and girls and for our old people, where they could feel they were part and parcel of an organization where they would be taken care of, that was not charity, but their due, where when old age or misfortune should overtake them they would have a place of refuge, a place to go where they will be received with friendship and love. There is one thing I wonder about and that is when our boys and girls arrive at an age when they must leave the homes whether there can be something done to relieve them from the temptations that are always present to young people, young men and young women as they go out in the world to take care of



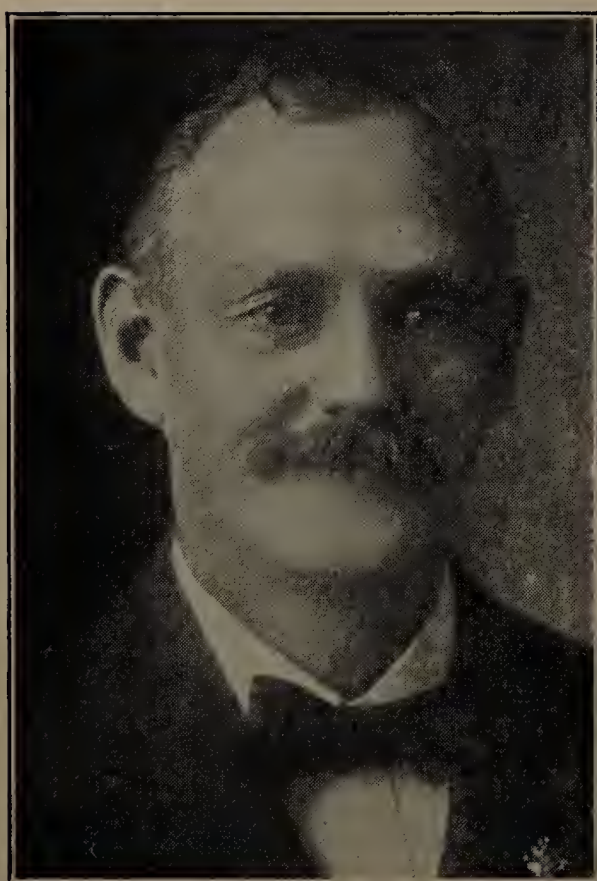
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Toronto, Canada



LYNN J. IRWIN
Deputy Grand Master



L. J. NEFF
Grand Warden



L. W. SMITH
Grand Secretary



A. E. Hindorff
Grand Treasurer

themselves. These things come as an uplift to humanity to put them in a higher place. I know the State of Iowa will be first in everything that will uplift humanity. I don't want now to take up any more of your time because you are busy and you have work to do. I want to say I have enjoyed my visit in Iowa. It has taken a longer time than it would if I had known the topography of the country. But I did not. I came in at the wrong end. I came in the short end instead of the long end.

Last year was one of the greatest in the history of Odd Fellowship in Iowa and one of the greatest in the history of the world. We increased our membership by over 104,000 which is a good increase. What we want today is to go on. Onward and upward undivided in our efforts, and do everything to the advancement of the best interest of the people of the world.

I thank you for the reception you have given me here. I leave tonight feeling that I have received one of the finest receptions that I ever received in my life. It will always be a pleasure to me to think that the second official visit that I made was to Iowa. I thank you.

Distribution

Report of Committee.

The Committee on Distribution presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your Committee on Distribution, to whom was referred the reports of the Grand Master, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Grand Representatives, and Trustees and Matrons and Superintendent of the Homes, have examined the same and would recommend the following references:

To the Committee on Judiciary:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Decisions" found on pages 38 to 65, both inclusive; so much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to "Subordinate and Rebekah Decisions."

To the Committee on Legislation:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Recommendations," Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, found on pages 95 to 98, both inclusive.

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Amendments to Subordinate Constitution," page 152.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to "Odd Fellows Temple Burned," and "Recommendations."

To the Committee on State of the Order:

So much of the Grand Master's report as is found on pages 33 to 38 inclusive, also pages 75 to 85 inclusive; also "Code of Laws," "State of the Order," "Board of Instruction," "Keys to the Unwritten Work," found on pages 93 and 94, also "Business Administration," "Personal Mention," and "Conclusion," pages 98 to 106.

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as appears in the introduction, page 107, "Statistics of the Order," "Report to The Sovereign Grand Lodge," pages 113, 114, 115, 116, also all of pages 117 to 120; "District Deputy Grand Masters," page 121, "Special Sessions," pages 140 to 149, "Acknowledgment" and "Conclusion" on page 153.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental Report as is found under the headings "Acknowledgments" and "Communications," "Resignations," "Dispensation," "Dedication," "Visits" and "Controversies," "Commissioned to Instruct," "Special Sessions," "Statement of Supplemental Report," and "Conclusion."

And all of the Grand Representatives' report.

To the Committee on Finance:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Relief Granted," page 71, "Expense Account," page 88, "Typewriter," page 90.

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Journal of Proceedings," page 107, also all relating to "Funds," pages 123 to 140, and "Price List," page 152.

All of the Grand Treasurer's report.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to "Expense Account."

Also so much of the reports of the Trustees, Matrons and Superintendent as relates to finances.

To the Committee on Appeals:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Subordinate Controversies" found on Page 70, also "Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 12 vs. Emily Paschal," page 70.

To the Committee on Charters and By-Laws:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Rebekah Lodges instituted," "Consolidations, Subordinate and Rebekah," "Charters Surrendered" duplicate charters issued, pages 66 and 67. Also "By-Laws Approved," pages 72, and 73.

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Rebekah Lodges Instituted," "Consolidations, Subordinate and Rebekah," "Charters Surrendered," "Duplicate Charters Issued," pages 108 and 109.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to "By-Laws Approved," "Consolidation" and "Lodges Instituted."

To the Committee on Election Returns:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to the "Election of Grand Officers," pages 88, 89 and part of page 90.

To the Committee on Miscellaneous Business:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Dedication of New Temple," page 65, "Iowa Odd Fellow," page 90, also "Official Communications," page 91, also all on page 92 relating to "Quasqueton" and "Stiner Property."

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Stiner" and "Quasqueton Properties," page 121.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to the "Grand Sire's Visit to Iowa."

To the Committee on Rebekah Degree:

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental Report as will be found under the heading "Trefoil Rebekah Lodge No. 412."

To the Committee on Petitions:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Appeals for General Relief," page 71, also "Soliciting of Funds for Special Relief," page 71.

To the Committee on Homes:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Our Homes at Mason City" and "New Superintendent," page 86.

So much of the Grand Master's Supplemental report as relates to "Official Visit to Home," and "Entertainment Fund."

So much of the reports of the Trustees, Matrons and Superintendent as relates to the Home and farm.

To the Committee on Necrology:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "In Memoriam" on page 105.

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Necrology" on page 152.

To a Special Committee:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to the "Near East Relief Association," pages 71 and 72.

To a Special Committee:

So much of the Grand Master's report as relates to "Boys' Dormitory," page 87.

To a Special Committee:

So much of the Grand Secretary's report as relates to "Surety Bonds" found on pages 121 and 122.

Fraternally submitted,

J. C. Koonz,

J. M. Gardner,

A. K. Rife,

W. C. Abney,

W. H. Kemery,

Chas. A. Darrah,

C. O. Henderson,

Committee.

The Grand Master appointed Representative W. H. Winegar as Chairman of the Committee on Charters and By-Laws.

The Grand Secretary presented the bonds of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer and bills for premium on same, also bills for printing identification certificates, express on Grand Master's trunk, Memorial Committee expense and bill for typewriters, which were referred to the Finance Committee.

Election Returns

Report of Committee.

The Committee on Election Returns presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your Committee on Election returns report that we find the tabulation of votes for Grand Officers held last June correct.

Fraternally submitted,

J. W. Schreiner,	O. P. Dotson,
Sam Harter,	Zena Briggs,
J. C. Austin,	M. A. True,
N. I. Seibert,	L. R. Wright,
C. L. Poland,	J. C. Kennedy,
	Committee.

Letters were read from Past Grand Masters E. W. Cutting and N. Jasper Jones and referred to the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Warden.

Communication from Martin Scholtz was read and referred to the Committee on Distribution.

Appeals

Reports of Committee.

The Committee on Appeals presented the following two reports, which were adopted:

Olive Lodge No. 85, I. O. O. F.

vs.

F. J. Blake.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Complaint was made that the defendant had violated Sections 85 and 88 of the Subordinate Constitution and that on or about January 23, 1920, had in his possession a quantity of liquor, contrary to the laws of the State of Iowa, and of the United States, and that said brother had been arrested and bound over to the grand jury for keeping said liquor unlawfully in his possession, and in support of the charge a transcript of the record of Justice Bryant's court was submitted and a statement that Brother H. C. Brand would appear and testify orally.

A hearing was had before the Lodge and after trial a vote was taken which resulted 17 for conviction and 22 against conviction, and the brother was therefore acquitted by the Lodge.

John A. Forbes, a member of Olive Lodge, gave notice that he would take an appeal "on direct representation" to the Grand Master. The papers were in fact sent to the Grand Master and by him forwarded to L. L. Harmon, District Deputy Grand Master, who reversed the decision of the Lodge, and ordered the said F. J. Blake expelled from the Order.

F. J. Blake appeals from the decision of the District Deputy Grand Master to this committee.

The appeal committee have carefully investigated this case and find:

First, that Section 125, Subordinate Constitution, provides that an appeal shall be taken to the District Deputy Grand Master, except under certain conditions when the Grand Master may order an appeal direct to the Committee on Appeals.

We hold that no proper notice of appeal was ever given, so as to confer jurisdiction upon the District Deputy Grand Master to hear and determine said cause, and that therefore any action taken by the said District Deputy Grand Master was void and of no effect.

Second, Section 128, Subordinate Constitution, provides that there shall be an assignment of errors committed by the Lodge and of which complaint is made. The so called assignment of errors in this case is incorporated into and made a part of the notice of appeal, and complains largely of the action of the attorneys for the Lodge, and further charges the Noble Grand with having failed to do his duty as set forth in said notice. We hold that this is no assignment of errors as contemplated by the Subordinate Constitution, and that therefore even had a proper notice of appeal been served there was nothing properly before the District Deputy Grand Master for his action.

Third, we further hold that Brother John A. Forbes was not such a party in interest that he might take an appeal in any circumstances in this case, and that therefore any pretended appeal taken by him was void.

Fourth, it is the judgment of this committee, and we do decide, that there was no competent evidence of any kind or character properly before the Subordinate Lodge that would under any circumstances warrant the Lodge or the District Deputy Grand Master, or this committee in finding the defendant guilty of the charges preferred, and that the Subordinate Lodge was right in its findings.

Fifth, Section 133, Subordinate Constitution, provides in part "The decision of a Lodge on a question of fact shall not be disturbed, unless it is clearly against the weight of evidence." Under the circumstances we do not feel warranted in disturbing the decision of the Lodge.

Therefore, this committee finds that the action of the District Deputy Grand Master in reversing the decision of the Subordinate Lodge, and in ordering the expulsion of the defendant, F. J. Blake, ought to be and is hereby set aside and reversed and the action of the Subordinate Lodge sustained.

Fraternally submitted,

J. M. Hazlett,
H. F. Wagner,
O. H. Sweeney,
Committee.

Maple Grove Lodge No. 605, I. O. O. F.,

vs.

E. B. Davis.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

It appears from the transcript in this case that an information was filed on September 13, 1919, with the Noble Grand of the plaintiff Lodge, which information accused the defendant of conduct unbecoming an Odd Fellow and that a committee of inquiry was appointed.

It further appears from the transcript that at the regular meeting of said Lodge, on October 11, 1919, the committee of inquiry reported that the charges of conduct unbecoming an Odd Fellow supposedly referred to in the information were true, but as to whether or not the committee of inquiry preferred a charge, we are unable to state, as it is not shown by the transcript that a charge was preferred in accordance with the provisions of Section 100 of the Constitution.

The defendant, in response to a citation personally served upon him, appeared in the Lodge on October 18, 1919, and plead guilty and the transcript states, "Then a ballot was taken and the charge was dismissed."

On October 25, 1919, upon the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting objection was made on account of errors made in dismissing the charge against the defendant.

On November 1, 1919, it was moved, seconded and carried that the defendant be again cited to appear before the Lodge and answer the charge.

The defendant was again cited to appear and at a subsequent meeting of the Lodge held either two or three weeks later, the defendant appeared and the defendant again plead guilty. The defendant in-

sisted that he was not prepared for trial at that time but the Lodge voted that he should proceed to trial at once. Although the brother plead guilty, evidence of brothers was taken at that time, but no record of the evidence was preserved as required by the Constitution. However, under the defendant's plea of guilty no evidence was necessary or required except to enable the Lodge to determine upon the punishment to be inflicted.

The transcript states that after the taking of the evidence the Vice Grand made his plea and the Lodge proceeded to vote on expulsion. First and second ballots found illegal. Third ballot stood for expulsion, and Brother Davis notified of the same. The transcript fails to show the facts upon which the conclusion as to the illegality of the first and second ballots was reached, nor does it show the necessary facts as to number of members present, number voting, number voting for expulsion and number voting against expulsion, to enable us to determine the correctness of the conclusion that the third ballot stood for expulsion.

We are unable to tell from the transcript whether the action taken in expelling the defendant occurred on November 15th, or November 22d. From the record before us, we are unable to discern as a certainty.

The defendant gave notice of appeal to the District Deputy Grand Master, and filed with the Secretary of the Lodge his assignment of errors, which is sufficient in form and substance, which notice of appeal and assignment of errors bears date of December 18, 1919.

If the action of the Lodge of which the defendant complained was on November 22d, then the appeal was taken in time. If said action was on November 15th, then the appeal was too late, as no appeal shall be allowed under our Constitution unless written notice thereof be filed with the Lodge on or before thirty days after the action of the Lodge from which an appeal is attempted to be taken. (See Section 127, Subordinate Constitution.)

However, in view of the subsequent actions both of the Lodge and the defendant, we deem this immaterial.

On December 27, 1919, the District Deputy Grand Master rendered his decision reversing the Lodge and ordered a new trial. On the same date the defendant appeared, waived every irregularity in the proceedings and consented to go on trial at once, and entered a plea of guilty and the defendant was suspended for six months, and the defendant was notified accordingly.

From the action of the District Deputy Grand Master in reversing the Lodge for the action taken by said Lodge in November, and in

granting a new trial no appeal was taken. Therefore, whether the action of the District Deputy Grand Master was right or wrong becomes immaterial and we have nothing left to consider except the action of the Lodge on December 27th, and the subsequent action with reference thereto.

On January 10, 1920, the Lodge voted to send the case to this Committee on Appeals.

No notice of appeal was filed with the Lodge. The defendant was not notified as to any appeal or attempt to appeal from the action of the Lodge on December 27, 1919, nor was any assignment of errors filed. These are jurisdictional matters, therefore this committee is without right or authority to act in the premises and we recommend that the so called or pretended appeal be dismissed.

Fraternally submitted,

J. M. Hazlett,
H. F. Wagner,
O. H. Sweeney,
Committee.

Credentials

Report of Committee

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 7. We, your Credential Committee, beg to report that we have examined the certificates of the following Past Grands and finding them regular we recommend that they be given the Past Official and Grand Lodge degrees and be admitted to this Grand Body:

NAME	NAME OF LODGE	NO.	LOCATION
Aiken, John	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Alvis, John	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Ambrose, Wm. B.	Lenox	407	Lenox
Bailey, Charles W.	Pulaski	107	Wilton Junction
Bailey, M. L.	Oakville	139	Oakville
Barnes, Henry W.	Hillsboro	373	Hillsboro
Barnes, Jas.	Charleston	89	Charleston
Bierman, Wm.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Billings, Ray	Excelsior	268	Burlington
Brockman, Gay M.	Empire	31	Fort Madison

NAME	NAME OF LODGE	NO.	LOCATION
Brown, W. J.	Medium	253	Emmetsburg
Burden, Victor	Eldon	28	Eldon
Butler, C. N.	Silver Park	616	Lake Park
Carstens, Tom	Walhalla	150	Clinton
Chapman, Joe	Spruce	284	Washta
Coie, John E.	Eldon	28	Eldon
Crammond, S. D.	Louisa	19	Wapello
Downey, R. R.	Charleston	89	Charleston
Dutton, A. W.	Horeb	408	Perry
Eisenhuth, John	Herman	116	Keokuk
Engler, A. J.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Frank, Jacob	Herman	116	Keokuk
Graner, H. G.	Excelsior	268	Burlington
Heath, Chas. L.	Menlo	697	Menlo
Hodge, Hugh C.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Holland, Jr., C. B.	Mt. Hamill	462	Mt. Hamill
Hoover, I. C.	Bradgate	523	Bradgate
Hopp, Adam	Charleston	89	Charleston
Horse, Henry	Croton	596	Croton
Hull, J. W.	Hillsboro	373	Hillsboro
Jacobson, C. A.	Galva	387	Galva
Kennedy, John P.	Cascade	66	Montrose
King, C. W.	Harold	54	Burlington
King, J. J.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Lange, Harry F.	Wever	552	Wever
Lemaster, Geo.	Empire	31	Fort Madison
Lindborn, John	Fairfield	629	Fairfield
Linnenburger, A. H.	Herman	116	Keokuk
Ludwig, Jacob	Herman	116	Keokuk
McClure, A. R.	Kossuth	32	Richland
McClure, J. Mose	Van Buren	350	Selma
McDonald, J. L.	Chillicothe	115	Chillicothe
McKay, V. R.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
McPherson, Perry	Croton	596	Croton
Mapel, J. S.	Middle Link	245	Riverside
Merriam, Geo. S.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Miller, H. C.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Miller, M. C.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Mollers, T. C.	Herman	116	Keokuk
Moorhead, C. T.	Menlo	697	Menlo
Moore, R. S.	Corwith	631	Corwith
Mullen, M. J.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Nelson, Lauritz	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk

NAME	NAME OF LODGE	NO.	LOCATION
Nurdlow, Albert	Cascade	66	Montrose
Palmer, Ray	Charleston	89	Charleston
Peterson, J. J.	Echo	119	Battle Creek
Pettit, B. W.	Avery	634	Avery
Price, Jesse	Excelsior	268	Burlington
Provance, D. L.	Eldon	28	Eldon
Rabe, J. J.	Empire	31	Fort Madison
Rader, A. W.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Reitz, E. H.	Croton	596	Croton
Reitz, William	Central Iowa	104	Nevada
Rokey, F. A.	Charleston	89	Charleston
Rokey, N. E.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Russell, Samuel F.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Schafer, H.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Schulz, C. J.	Herman	116	Keokuk
Seeman, H. G.	Herman	116	Keokuk
Shepherd, C. T.	Wever	552	Wever
Smith, H. B.	Louisa	19	Wapello
Snyder, D. W.	Henry	10	Mount Pleasant
Spahr, John	Charleston	89	Charleston
Spahr, Samuel	Charleston	89	Charleston
Sutton, C. H.	Scott	37	Davenport
Swan, S. S.	Woodburn	503	Woodburn
Swank, E. E.	Kossuth	32	Richland
Swinderman, C. A.	Charleston	89	Charleston
Tracy, O. O.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
Uhler, D. A.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Utley, W. L.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
VanOsdoll, Chas. W.	Cascade	66	Montrose
Vanderheyden, H.	Keokuk	13	Keokuk
VanSteenwyk, Wm.	Puckechetuck	43	Keokuk
Wahrer, Louis	Charleston	89	Charleston
Ware, W. H.	Croton	596	Croton
Ward, Roy T.	Mystic	55	Mt. Pleasant
Warwick, W. M.	Mystic	55	Mt. Pleasant
Williams, C. C.	Empire	31	Fort Madison
Worley, C. R.	Chillicothe	115	Chillicothe

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

A class of Past Grands, having received the past official and Grand Lodge degrees, was introduced and welcomed by the Grand Master.

The legislative amendments adopted by the Rebekah Assembly were presented to the Grand Lodge for approval and on motion, were referred to the Committee on Rebekah Degree.

A resolution sub-dividing District No. 77 into representative districts was presented and referred to the Committee on Districting the State.

Standing Resolution Proposed

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

I hereby propose the following as a Standing Resolution:

RESOLVED, That the Finance Committee shall report only on such claims as have been properly presented to the Grand Lodge and referred to said committee for action, and that all claims so referred shall contain the stamp of the Grand Secretary stating the said bills have been properly presented to the Grand Lodge and referred.

Fraternally submitted,
F. P. MARVIN,
Rep. Dist. No. 79.

The Grand Master announced the appointment of the following special committees:

Special Committee on death of Past Grand Master M. W. White: H. F. Wagner, H. C. Ring, Stymest Stevenson, Jack Asprey, Charles Launsbach.

Special Committee on death of Past Grand Patriarch A. D. Steele: J. S. Bellamy, Z. A. Church, J. C. Koonz, L. K. Butterfield, J. R. Morris.

Special Committee on the Near East Relief Association: A. E. Tyler, E. D. Walsworth, H. H. Bye, I. L. Newman, Eugene Ford.

Special Committee on Boys' Dormitory: Jack Asprey, Chas. C. Heninger, C. E. Cornish, Homer Kellogg, E. A. Baumgartner.

Special Committee on Surety Bonds: A. D. Crawford, Fred Gulick, J. S. Forgrave, Geo. B. Johnson, O. E. Johnson, Lester Seitzinger, C. F. Buker.

On Motion of Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner the Grand Lodge adjourned until 9:00 o'clock Thursday morning.

Second Day

Keokuk, Iowa, October 21, 1920.

The Grand Lodge met at 9:00 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment. The Grand Marshal and Grand Conductor having examined the members present reported all entitled to seats in the Grand Lodge. The opening ode was sung and Grand Chaplain R. N. Burress offered prayer. The Grand Lodge was then declared open for the transaction of business. By the direction of the Grand Master the Grand Secretary called the roll of Officers, Representatives, Past Grand Masters and Committeemen and announced a quorum present.

The Grand Master announced the resignation of Elmer Rodgers of District No. 91, and the appointment of N. I. Seibert as representative from said district, also the resignation of A. L. Heiny of District No. 17, and the appointment of F. W. Kidder as representative from said district.

Nominations

The Grand Master declared nominations for Grand Officers in order and the following nominations were made:

For Grand Master—

Past Grand Master J. S. Bellamy nominated—

Lynn J. Irwin, Woodbine Lodge No. 405.

For Deputy Grand Master—

Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner nominated—

L. J. Neff, Moriah Lodge No. 327.

For Grand Warden—

Representative C. E. Cornish nominated—

C. E. MacCanon, Highland Park Lodge No. 612.

Representative J. H. Spillers nominated—

W. H. Winegar, Horeb Lodge No. 408.

Representative A. E. Baumgartner nominated—

Guy M. Butts, Success Lodge No. 134.

Representative O. L. Sohl nominated—

W. C. Kummer, Keokuk Lodge No. 13.

Past Grand Master H. C. Ring nominated—

A. C. Cherry, Maine Lodge No. 643.

Representative W. C. Abney nominated—

W. L. Slocumb, America Lodge No. 567.

Representative Chas. Darrah nominated—

Guy L. Pond, Shenandoah Lodge No. 261.

For Grand Secretary—

Representative C. C. Cook nominated—

L. W. Smith, Capitol Lodge No. 106.

Representative J. C. Kennedy nominated—

G. L. Snyder, Osceola Lodge No. 18.

For Grand Treasurer—

Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner nominated—

A. E. Hindorff, Central Lodge No. 73.

Representative B. V. Bridenstine nominated—

M. O. Fouts, Independence Lodge No. 142.

For Grand Representative—

Past Grand Master Z. A. Church nominated—

F. F. Rodgers, Ames Lodge No. 309.

On motion of Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner the election of trustee for the Home was made a special order of business for 4:30 o'clock p. m.

Necrology

Report of Special Committee

The special committee appointed to prepare a memorial on the death of Past Grand Patriarch A. D. Steele, presented the following which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

A. D. Steele, Past Grand Patriarch, died at his home in Knoxville, Iowa, during the past year, after a well spent life. Hard working and

honest he still did not accumulate any great wealth in a financial way, but the accumulation of wealth in doing good, in aid to the sufferers, and in upright living was great.

The wealth of which he died seized was wealth not liable to destruction or decay. He died as he lived with the commendation of those who knew him.

At all times Brother Steele was faithful to the obligations he had taken, giving no cause to bring disrepute upon the Order. A patriotic man, he became a soldier of the war with the Rebellion, loving his fellowman he gave a life work to Odd Fellowship, and believing in good government he at all times fulfilled his duties as a citizen.

Honored, loved and respected he passed into the great Beyond.

The door bell rings; the unbidden guest enters; the sun sets, the gloom comes; night becomes a certainty; the past lives in memory; the future is in hope; the solution lies in the great creative power. To that power we submit Brother Steele, with a confident hope of a knowing meeting in that unknown country.

Fraternally submitted,

J. S. Bellamy,

Z. A. Church,

Jas. R. Morris,

J. C. Koonz,

Committee.

Judiciary

Reports of Committee

The Judiciary Committee presented the following four reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the decisions of the Grand Master, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered decisions Nos. 1 to 102, both inclusive, as found on pages 38 to 56, both inclusive, of the Grand Master's report, and find that the law as therein set forth by the Grand Master is correct, and we approve said decisions, and we recommend that the same be now approved by this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,

H. C. Ring,

C. H. Benson,

Harry Koepf,

Paul H. Shader,

John Weir,

Chas. Launsbach, Jr.,

Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the decisions of the Grand Master, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered decisions 1 to 50, both inclusive, as found on pages 56 to 65, both inclusive, of the Grand Master's report, and find that the law as therein set forth by the Grand Master is correct, and we approve said decisions, and we recommend that the same be now approved by this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the Subordinate and Rebekah decisions as found on pages 2 and 3 of the Grand Master's Supplemental Report, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered each and all of said decisions and find that the law therein set forth by the Grand Master is correct, and we approve said decisions, and we recommend that the same be now approved by this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the decisions of the Grand Master, as rendered by him, since the opening of the session of the Grand Lodge, and copies of which decisions are hereto appended, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same and find that the law therein set forth by the Grand Master is correct and we approve said decisions and recommend that the same be now approved by this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

Subordinate Decisions

Question.—If a representative to this Grand Lodge removed from the district from which elected is a vacancy thereby created?

Answer.—Yes.

Question.—If a brother representative tenders his resignation as such representative within thirty days prior to the session of the

Grand Lodge, and the Grand Master appoints his successor to fill the vacancy for how long a period shall such appointee continue to act as representative?

Answer.—For the full period of the unexpired term, that is to say for the full period that the regularly elected representative would have served had he held the office until the end of his term.

Question.—Does the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa, give its recommendation and endorsement to the Brotherhood, Ridgely or Loyal or any other company insuring Odd Fellows only?

Answer.—No, it is not the policy of this Grand Body to give its official endorsement to any insurance company, whether it insures Odd Fellows only, or otherwise.

Question.—Should the Grand Master give his endorsement or recommendation to any such companies?

Answer.—No.

Districting the State
Report of Committee

The Committee on Districting the State presented the following report which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Districting the state, have had submitted to us the petition of the representatives of Polk County requesting an additional representative for District No. 77. We find on examination there are 3,661 members in good standing in the Subordinate Lodges of said district, therefore be it resolved, that the sub-districts of District No. 77 shall be constituted as follows:

Sub-District No. 1—

Fort Des Moines No. 25, Des Moines	402
Chesterfield No. 608, Des Moines	134—536

Sub-District No. 2—

Capitol No. 106, Des Moines	332
Montefiore No. 630, Des Moines	196—528

Sub-District No. 3—

Sevastopol No. 65, Des Moines	184
Center Star No. 588, Des Moines	401—585

Sub-District No. 4—

Sherman No. 576, Des Moines	566—566
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Sub-District No. 5—

University No. 356, Des Moines	278
Highland Park No. 612, Des Moines	238—516

Sub-District No. 6—

Bondurant No. 243, Bondurant	121
Mitchellville No. 363, Mitchellville	174
Valley Junction No. 604, Valley Junction	148—443

Sub-District No. 7—

Polk City No. 300, Polk City	98
Grimes No. 479, Grimes	95
Ankeny Star No. 627, Ankeny	294—487

Fraternally submitted,

J. S. Bellamy,	R. J. Spies,
Chas. Launsbach, Jr.,	E. A. Banister,
S. E. Rowe,	Burdette Hersom,
L. L. Stedwell,	J. D. Forbes,
B. V. Bridenstine,	

Committee.

State of the Order Report of Committee

The Committee on State of the Order presented the following report which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on State of the Order, to whom was referred many matters included in the reports of the Grand Master, Grand Secretary, and the Grand Representatives, beg leave to submit the following report:

It is of great gratification to the Order throughout this Jurisdiction that never in its history has it been more prosperous, growing in numbers, and not only in numbers but in practical benefit to the Order, its members and to the great State of Iowa. The principles of Odd Fellowship are more and more exemplified, its benevolent purposes more widely extended, and its attainment has reached the degree of efficiency and accomplished results that we may refer to with pride and congratulation. The reports of these officers show the increased interest and it is due to this Grand Lodge that we shall give just and due recognition to the very efficient and faithful officers who have presided over and had charge of the work of this Order in all of its

ramifications and duties during the past year, and that we hope that their successors may well emulate the good work that has been done and that there shall continue progress and the uplifting and ennobling of humanity.

It will not be required, nor do we attempt to specifically comment on each matter which has been referred to us for much is statistical, a report of the ordinary routine of their duties and recognition of the services of the brethren of the Order. Therefore, we approve of the reports so made and that being published in our reports and becoming a part of the literature of this Grand Lodge will be a permanent record of valuable information to the jurisdiction now and hereafter and a just memorial to those who have performed the work.

The Grand Master at the close of the year's service with becoming dignity reports the work of the year and gives due credit to those who have assisted him, and in the submission of the report we commend the facts submitted, the way in which submitted, and a creditable presentation of his year's work. We note that the commissions to lecture are increasing as the brethren become more interested and more qualified in the work, and that many of the older members of this Grand Lodge retain their interest and continue to appreciate the commissions issued to them and are ready to respond to the calls of the brethren whenever made upon them. It is of prime importance that our membership shall be fully instructed in the workings of the Lodges, and it should be a gratification to us all that there is a constantly increasing number who have prepared themselves to instruct and are recognized in the commissions issued to them by the Grand Master.

We believe that it is of great benefit to the Order that there shall be the special sessions of this Grand Lodge held at the seat of the various Lodges where the Grand Lodge and past official degrees may be conferred when in many cases it would be impossible by reason of distance and otherwise for many of the brothers to receive these degrees and become members of the Grand Lodge. The comparative slight expense is wholly immaterial when we consider the interest and the enthusiasm manifested at each of these sessions and where the principles of the Order are more fully disseminated and missionaries are enlisted to go out and work for Odd Fellowship.

The increased use and sale of the keys to the Unwritten Work should be especially mentioned in this report. It evidences a growing interest and a growing desire on the part of the brothers in the various Lodges for the highest and greatest efficiency. We urge that even greater interest may be manifested.

The good state of the Order can be maintained only upon the exercise of sound judgment, wise discretion, a knowledge of human nature and a strict regard for the laws of the Order, it is therefore with pleasure that we approve of the action of our Grand Master in the settlement of the few controversies during the year.

The Grand Secretary in his report of the prosperous condition of the Order during the year succinctly states that "The success of each individual Lodge has been measured by the efforts of its members. There is plenty of good material in all localities, but it requires a few good, active members to bring it into the Lodge. Lodges do not stand still, they either go forward or backward, and the Lodge that succeeds must be constantly adding new blood." We commend to this jurisdiction that there be an observance of these suggestions together with the other valuable recommendations of our Grand Officers so that in future sessions of this Grand Lodge the Committee on the State of the Order may be able to make even much more favorable report than we can do at this session.

We can commend the report of our Grand Representatives on the clear and lucid report of the proceedings of The Sovereign Grand Lodge. It must not be understood that in our commendations of the Order in this State, and our abounding prosperity that we have in any wise reached perfection or even attained that which in our strength and intelligence we should attain. We must look to the future and each and all of us pledge all that we are able to do to advance our beloved Order along all lines of wise and noble endeavor. We cannot conclude this report without making special reference to the interest which has been taken along with our sister jurisdictions in the building and maintenance of the Orphans Homes, one of the most worthy purposes and duties of this Grand Lodge is to see to it that the interest of the Homes shall be carefully guarded and supported, and we commend the present administration of the Homes.

Fraternally submitted,

J. H. Henderson,
S. I. Rutledge,
F. W. Smith,
F. M. Wheeler,
A. B. Craven,

J. H. Spillers,
H. H. Bye,
Eugene Ford,
W. E. Harriman,

Committee.

Committee from the Rebekah Assembly

The Grand Master appointed Past Grand Masters J. H.

Henderson, L. W. Smith and J. M. Hazlett as a committee to receive and introduce a committee from the Rebekah Assembly. The Grand Lodge was declared at ease and the delegation, consisting of Vice President Emma Miller, Sister Florence Rodgers, and Past President Leah Washburn, was introduced. Brief addresses were made by each member of the committee. Past Grand Master D. B. Gunn, by request of the Grand Master, made response. The committee then retired and the Grand Lodge resumed business.

Past Grand Master D. B. Gunn and Representative A. D. Crawford presented a committee from the Department Council consisting of Brigadier General O. H. Sweeney and Major Gilbert S. Hall, both of whom briefly addressed the Grand Lodge, to which appropriate response was made by Deputy Grand Master John R. Price.

The Deputy Grand Master John R. Price, Grand Warden Lynn J. Irwin and Grand Warden-elect L. J. Neff were appointed a committee to carry greetings to the Rebekah Assembly.

Credentials

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Credentials presented the following two reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 8. We, your Committee on Credentials, have examined the credentials of N. I. Seibert of Indianola Lodge No. 70, appointed to fill the vacancy in District No. 91, caused by the resignation of Elmer Rodgers, representative from said district, and finding same correct recommend that Brother Seibert be seated as representative, he having previously received the Grand Lodge degree.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 9. We, your Committee on Credentials, have examined the credentials of F. W. Kidder, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by

the resignation of A. L. Heiny, representative from District No. 17, and finding the credentials of Brother Kidder correct we recommend that he be seated as representative, he having previously received the Grand Lodge degree.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

Amendments to the Grand Lodge Constitution

The proposed amendments to the Grand Lodge constitution were taken up and considered:

No. 1, as found on page 150 of the Grand Secretary's report, was considered and adopted. Yeas, 86; nays, 5.

No. 2, found on page 150 of the Grand Secretary's report, was considered and unanimously adopted.

No. 3, found on page 150 of the Grand Secretary's report, was considered, and same not being complete owing to a clause having been omitted, was rejected.

No. 4, found on page 150 of the Grand Secretary's report, was considered and unanimously adopted.

No. 5, found on page 151 of the Grand Secretary's report, was considered and unanimously adopted.

Appeals

Report of Committee

The Committee on Appeals presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Appeals, to whom was referred that portion of page 70 of the Grand Master's report, entitled Subordinate Controversies, sub head, "Maple Grove Lodge No. 605," beg leave to report that all matters with reference thereto coming within the province of the duties of this committee have been fully covered by a previous report of this committee, entitled "Maple Grove Lodge No. 605, I. O. O. F., vs. E. B. Davis," and which has been adopted by this Grand Lodge. We therefore ask to be relieved from further consideration of this matter.

Fraternally submitted,
J. M. Hazlett,
H. F. Wagner,
O. H. Sweeney,
Committee.

On motion of Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner the selection of a meeting place for the next session of the Grand Lodge was made a special order of business for 3 o'clock p.m.

On motion the Grand Lodge adjourned until 1:15 p. m.

Afternoon Session

Thursday, October 21, 1920.

The Grand Lodge met at 1:15 o'clock p. m. pursuant to adjournment. The Grand Marshal and Grand Conductor having examined the members present reported all entitled to seats in the Grand Lodge. The Grand Lodge was then declared open for the transaction of business. On motion of Deputy Grand Master John R. Price the roll call was dispensed with. The Grand Secretary announced a quorum present.

The Grand Master appointed Past Grand Masters J. H. Henderson, H. F. Wagner, and Z. A. Church, as a Committee on Courtesies.

The communication and bill from Trustee E. W. Cutting was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

A number of bills incurred by the Building Committee were read, and on motion, referred to the Finance Committee.

Petitions

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Petitions presented the following two reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Petitions, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's report relating to warrants drawn on the General Relief fund, wish to report that we approve of the action of the Grand Master, and would recommend that the incoming Grand Master carefully investigate the cases therein mentioned,

and if in his judgment said cases are worthy of still further assistance that he continue to grant the same.

Fraternally submitted,

C. E. Alexander,	Jack Asprey,
E. A. Cairns,	Abe Pierce,
John Whitsell,	Jas. R. Morris,
Leo G. Dewey,	A. C. Curtis,
A. R. Lynn,	

Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Petitions, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's report, relating to "The Soliciting of Funds for Special Relief," as found on page 71, of said report, would state that in view of recent legislation adopted by The Sovereign Grand Lodge, which will be found on page 187 of the Grand Representatives' report, requiring that petitions for the solicitation of funds must have the approval of the Grand Master of the jurisdiction in which said solicitation is to be made, would recommend that the petition for the relief of the Austrian people be referred to the incoming Grand Master for investigation and action.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

Building Committee

Report of Committee

The Building Committee presented the following report and moved that it be referred to a special committee. Representative W. H. Winegar then moved, as a substitute, that the report be indefinitely postponed, except the bills which should be referred to the Finance Committee. Substitute motion prevailed:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, Your Building Committee, as appointed under resolution No. 47 of the Finance Committee as found on page 196 of the 1919 Journal beg leave to report as follows:

After some delay, in waiting for matters to shape, the Chairman called the committee together on March the 6th to consider the sketch and the detail matters; members all present except Brother Adair. After some discussion the committee adjourned to March 13th at

which meeting all members were present. We had also notified the Grand Master but he did not receive the notice in time to be present.

At the meeting of the 13th Brother E. W. Cutting was elected secretary of the committee. Mr. E. O. Broaton, of Mason City, submitted sketches for the prospective building and offered to furnish plans, specifications and detail drawings and assist in making contract, and give it his personal supervision for 3 per cent of the contract price, but at this rate no superintendent was to be kept on the building, and on condition that superintendent being kept on the building he ask 5 per cent of the contract price.

Mr. Arthur Kriehn, representing the firm of J. H. Felt & Co., of Kansas City, Mo., submitted sketch of the prospective building and offered to furnish all drawings, plans, details, specifications and working plans, also furnish contract and assist in the making of contract and write the advertisements for 3 per cent of the contract price, and to keep a superintendent on the building at all times during the construction of the same for 2 per cent of the contract.

And on motion that if the building is built J. H. Felt & Co. were to be employed as the architects, and superintendent for the same.

Your committee then adjourned until the 6th day of April at which meeting all members of the committee were present, also the Grand Master.

It was duly moved, seconded and carried (the Grand Master concurring) that we proceed at once to the building of the Boys' Dormitory in accordance with the instruction of the Grand Lodge as embodied in Reports Nos. 31 and 47 of the Finance Committee, and adopted by the Grand Lodge and set out on pages 191 and 196, Grand Lodge Journal, 1919, and the Chairman was instructed to notify J. H. Felt & Co. to proceed at once to complete the plans and specifications in accordance with the general plans already submitted by said architects for the dormitory and that advertisement be made for bids for the erection of said building. Under the above instructions the Chairman so notified J. H. Felt & Co., of Kansas City, Mo., and had ads run in the following publications: The Register and Tribune, of Des Moines, The Cedar Rapids Republican, Mason City Globe Gazette, The Iowa Odd Fellow, The Improvement Bulletin, of Minneapolis, and the Western Contractor, of Kansas City, Mo., the ads calling for the opening of bids on June 9, 1920.

On or about the 17th day of May the Secretary of the Building Committee, after consulting with the Chairman, submitted a questionnaire to the Grand Master on the question of funds and the mat-

ter of finances, hoping for an answer before the 10th of June on which date the bids were to be opened, but did not receive an answer until the 21st of June. The committee took this course of procedure so that if the answer was adverse to the committee we would not need enter into any form of a contract and contract no debts outside of the bills for the advertisement for bids.

The committee met again on June 9th at 2:00 P. M. for the purpose of receiving and the opening of bids. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman; on call of the roll all members answered present. We then proceeded to open the bids on the general contract as follows: Carl G. Stark, of Cedar Rapids, bid \$224,297.00; Wells Construction Company, of Mason City, submitted a bid on the percentage basis, but did not state the amount; J. E. Tusant & Son, of Des Moines, bid \$105,980.00; Cail Construction Company, of Cedar Rapids, bid \$134,550.00; M. M. Moen & Co., of Mason City, bid \$95,225.00; H. C. Dye, of Marion, bid on the percentage plan, 10 per cent of all material and labor.

Bids on the plumbing and heating were opened as follows: W. J. Daly Company, of Mason City, bid \$12,670.00; W. Christensen & Co., of Mason City, bid \$12,218.00; M. F. Banzhaf Company, of Marshalltown, bid \$12,972.50. The last bid was not received by the committee until the morning of the 10th, so was not considered. There was but one bid on the electric work; that of the Mason City Electric Supply Company, for \$1,431.00.

The committee then adjourned until 7:30, at which time we met and went into the detail work of the bids and at a late hour we adjourned until 9:00 A. M., June 10th.

The committee met as per adjournment at 9:00 A. M., June 10, 1920, all members being present. Also the Grand Master. The committee called in Mr. Moen of Moen & Co., and went into the matter of entering into the contract and the matter of finances. The Grand Master being present, made the suggestion that he would call a special session of the Grand Lodge for the purpose of passing a resolution to authorize the Grand Master and Grand Secretary to draw warrants on the treasurer for the money now on hand, and authorizing them to borrow money and make an additional appropriation, and advised the committee to enter into a contract with the provision of the Grand Lodge in special session taking favorable action thereon, which the committee did. We accepted Moen & Co.'s bid for the sum of \$95,225.00, also options Nos. 2, 4 and 7, option No. 2, \$1,850.00, option No. 4, \$800.00, option No. 7, \$7,880.00, bringing the total to \$105,755.00 on the general contract. We also entered into a contract for the

plumbing and heating with W. Christensen & Co. under the aforesaid provision for the sum of \$12,218.00, and accepted option No. 1 for \$1,858.00, making a total of \$14,076.00, and for the electrical work we made a contract with the same provision with the Mason City Electric Supply Company for the sum of \$1,431.00. The committee then adjourned, awaiting the action of the Grand Lodge which was to be called in special session.

The committee feels that the work should go on and asks that this session take steps to so authorize the committee to proceed to carry out the instructions given it in 1919.

Fraternally submitted,

J. M. Hazlett,

A. C. Cherry,

John C. Scott,

Committee.

Legislation

Report of Committee

The Committee on Legislation presented the following report which, on motion, was referred to the Judiciary Committee:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration the Grand Master's recommendations, upon the subject of nomination and election of District Deputy Grand Masters and we report that we do not approve the same for the following reasons:

Section 16 of the Grand Lodge Constitution reads as follows:

"Section 16. The Grand Master shall have power to appoint a board of instruction to consist of five members, to hold schools of instruction, separately or together, for the exemplification of the secret work of the Order, during the regular annual meeting of the Grand Lodge at such time and place near to said meeting as may be designated, and at such times and places as the Grand Master may direct, or as in the judgment of the Board may be deemed advisable.

"And the Grand Master shall also have power, in his discretion, to appoint and commission special deputies other than members of said Board to hold schools of instruction for the exemplification of the secret work of the Order, at such times and places as he may desig-

nate, the expense of any school of instruction, except the schools held by the board of instruction during the said meeting of the Grand Lodge, to be paid by the Lodge or Lodges or brothers receiving the instruction, and only as above excepted in no case will the expenses of any schools be paid by the Grand Lodge."

Fraternally submitted,

Z. A. Church,
W. L. Slocumb,
Wm. Wiese,
J. A. Cutting,

W. H. Winegar,
Chas. Heninger,
E. A. Baumgartner,

Committee.

A bill of the Iowa Hotel for entertainment of the Grand Sire was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative W. C. Abney requested to be excused after today's session, which request was granted.

The hour having arrived for the special order for selecting the next meeting place for the Grand Lodge, representative C. H. Benson extended an invitation to the Grand Lodge to meet in Oelwein. Past Grand Master J. S. Bellamy nominated Des Moines. After some discussion, on motion of Representative C. H. Benson, Des Moines was declared the unanimous choice for the next session of the Grand Lodge.

On motion of Past Grand Master J. S. Bellamy the incoming Grand Master, the incoming Deputy Grand Master and the incoming Grand Warden were appointed a special committee to make all of the necessary arrangements for the entertainment of the Grand Lodge at Des Moines in 1921.

Legislation

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Legislation presented the following eight reports, numbers 2 to 9 inclusive, which were severally adopted, except report No. 8 which was rejected:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration the Grand Master's recommendation No. 3, found on page

96 of his report, relative to qualification of the Superintendent of the Homes, and for a Matron of the same, and report that we consider the present resolution to be at this time satisfactory and that no change should be made at this time in the same, and therefore recommend that the same be not adopted.

Fraternally submitted.

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration the Grand Master's recommendation No. 6, found on page 97 of the Grand Master's report, and while we approve of the remarks of the Grand Master and his statement we do not deem it of sufficient importance to justify legislation, and we therefore recommend that no legislation be had, but we call attention of the District Deputy Grand Masters to the statement of facts as given by the Grand Master in recommendation No. 6, and ask them to correct irregularities such as these in their actions.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration recommendation No. 8 of the Grand Master, found on page 98 of his report, and we think that his suggestions therein are proper, and we offer the following standing resolution:

"The Grand Secretary hereafter in printing the Grand Lodge Journals shall publish in the said Grand Lodge Journal the portraits of both the outgoing and incoming Grand Masters." With this resolution we recommend the adoption of recommendation No. 8.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your committee on Legislation, have had under consideration recommendation No. 1 of the Grand Master's report, page 95, and we do not concur in the suggestion that the Board of Trustees be increased from three to five members. As to the suggestion that one of the members be the President of the Rebekah Assembly, we call your attention to Clause I, Section 43 of the Grand Lodge Constitution, which provides that the members of the Board of Trustees shall be members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. This section precludes any-

one, man or woman, other than members of the Grand Lodge, being a member of the Board of Trustees. We recommend that recommendation No. 1 be not adopted.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration recommendation No. 4, on page 96, of the Grand Master's report, and having recommended the adoption of recommendation No. 2, we recommend that No. 4 be not adopted.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 7. We, your Committee on Legislation, beg leave to report that we have had under advisement the recommendation No. 7 of the Grand Master's report, found on page 96 thereof, and after due consideration, while we believe that the Grand Master had in mind the interest of the Order we do not concur with him in believing that the smaller Lodges, and especially those composed of farmer members, would be benefited to any marked degree by passing a resolution which would allow them to make annual reports instead of semi-annual reports to the Grand Secretary. We, your committee, would further say that we do not concur with the Grand Master in his recommendation for annual terms for Subordinate officers instead of semi-annual terms. We therefore move that the Grand Master's recommendation No. 7 be not approved.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 8. We, your Committee on Legislation, beg leave to report that we have considered recommendation No. 2, found on page 95 of the Grand Master's report, and after due consideration we believe that the Grand Master's suggestion is a good one and we recommend that an office of Grand Instructor be created by resolution, and that a Grand Instructor of the State of Iowa be nominated and elected upon the floor of the Grand Lodge for the term of one year, at an annual salary of \$1,500 and his traveling expenses, such expenses to be certified to the Grand Secretary at the close of every month, and the Grand Secretary being hereby empowered to draw warrants on the General Fund for such expenses so certified. Such Grand Instructor

shall devote his entire time to such work in the several Lodges of this jurisdiction as his best judgment may dictate as to the betterment of the Order, keeping in mind at all times the improvement of the smaller and weaker Lodges.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 9. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration the matter under the word "Recommendations" in the Grand Master's supplemental report in which he deals with Fire Insurance on all Lodge property in this Grand Jurisdiction, and your committee have reached the conclusion that this is a matter of grave importance; is a step in new legislation and carries with it the insurance of all the property owned by the Grand Lodge and of the 669 Subordinate Lodges of the state.

The time is too short for your committee to examine and report intelligently upon this proposition and we therefore suggest and recommend that the Grand Master appoint a committee of three hold-over representatives of this Grand Lodge who shall examine and report upon this matter at the next session of the Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the committee.

Charters and By-Laws

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Charters and By-Laws presented the following four reports which were severally adopted, and the subject matter referred to in report No. 4 was referred to the Legislative Committee of the next session:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Charters and By-Laws, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's report found on pages 66 and 67, referring to "Rebekah Lodges Instituted," "Consolidations, Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges," and "Charters Surrendered" do hereby report that we have examined the matters therein referred to and recommended that same be approved. We further report that we have examined the matters referred to in the Grand Secretary's report on pages 108 and 109, referring to the same matters and rec-

commend that the same be approved, and that charters be issued to the Lodges instituted.

We desire to call to the attention of the representatives that during the year no Subordinate charter has been surrendered, and no condition has been found that would warrant the taking up of any Subordinate charter. This is a matter of congratulation and we take this opportunity of commending the administration of our present Grand Master and his efficient corps of Grand Officers and District Deputies.

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. H. Winegar,	C. B. Jacobs,
F. C. Elliot,	J. W. Campbell,
J. E. Imus,	J. B. Lamb,
R. C. McKray,	E. D. Walsworth,
	Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Charters and By-Laws, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's report found on Pages 72 and 73 relating to "By-Laws Approved," hereby report that we have examined the matters referred to therein and we state that we have ascertained that by-laws approved by the Grand Master both for the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges as shown on page 73 of the Grand Master's report were carefully examined and re-examined and we recommend that the action of the Grand Master be approved and that the by-laws therein referred to be approved.

We further report that the by-laws approved by the Grand Master as shown by the Grand Master's supplemental report found on page 4 thereof should be approved, and we recommend to this Grand Lodge that the action of the Grand Master be approved and that the by-laws therein approved by him be approved by this Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Charters and By-laws, to whom has been referred by the Grand Master certain by-laws adopted by Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges report that we have carefully examined these by-laws and find such irregularities in each of them that they should be returned for correction.

We therefore are returning for correction by-laws of the following named Lodges referred to us: Sherman Lodge No. 576, Des

Moines, Iowa; DeSoto Lodge No. 400, DeSoto, Iowa; Ridgely Lodge No. 450, Dows, Iowa; Nishna Valley Rebekah Lodge No. 166, Shenandoah, Iowa; Home Charity Rebekah Lodge No. 156, Preston, Iowa.

Upon examination the committee found that all of the by-laws referred to it were in such condition that they had to be returned for correction and we urge upon the representatives here present that they bring up the matter of by-laws before their respective Lodges and urge upon the Lodges and officers thereof that when by-laws are adopted and referred to the Grand Master and Grand Lodge that they be correct in form and substance. This would save a large amount of valuable time that the Grand Master is compelled to spend because of the failure of the Lodges and officers in adopting and sending for approval their by-laws.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Charters and By-Laws, after having carefully examined into the number of by-laws submitted to the Grand Master in recess for approval and finding out from him the large amount of labor necessary to examine these by-laws, that a large amount of the time of the Grand Master is used in this class of work, time which could be used by him to greater advantage to the Order in other lines, we therefore recommend and ask that same be referred to the proper committee for action that the Constitution be amended so that it will become the duty of the Deputy Grand Master, or other officer or committee to examine into, and act upon by-laws of the several Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

Rebekah Degree

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Rebekah Degree presented the following eleven reports on legislation submitted by the Rebekah Assembly which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's Supplemental Report relating to "Trefoil Rebekah Lodge No. 412, of Goodell, Iowa," would

recommend that the Grand Master's action in said matter be approved.

Fraternally submitted,

Stymest Stevenson,	A. D. Crawford,
Fred Herr,	O. L. Sohl,
L. L. Harmon,	F. R. Gulick,
C. E. Cornish,	I. L. Newman,
Chas. C. Cook,	Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article VI, Section 2a of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said Article VI, Section 2a, be approved as follows:

Article VI, Section 2a. She shall appoint three qualified Past Noble Grands as a Board of Instruction in the Unwritten Work, whose duty it shall be to instruct in said work, and recommend applicants to the President for commissions, said commissions to be issued for one year only from date.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Section 7, Article IV, of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said Article IV, Section 7, be approved as follows:

Section 7. All resignations must be made to the President of the Assembly and in cases of vacancy occurring by death, removal from the district, or any other manner, that officer shall also be notified.

Upon receiving such notice she shall at once notify the Secretary or Acting Secretary of the Assembly thereof, and designate the time when the nomination and election shall be held to fill such vacancy. The Secretary or Acting Secretary, upon receipt of such notice, shall immediately advise the several Lodges in the district thereof, and also the Vice President of the Rebekah Assembly.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article VIII of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Article VIII. Board of Instruction. The President shall appoint annually, a Board of Instruction consisting of three qualified sisters members of the Rebekah Assembly, who shall hold schools of instruction, together or separately, for the purpose of teaching and exemplifying the Secret Work of the Rebekah Degree, such schools to be held during the regular annual meeting of the Rebekah Assembly, at such times and places near to said meeting as may be designated, and at such other times or places as the President of the Assembly may direct or the members of the Board may deem advisable.

The expenses of Schools of Instruction held by the Board of Instruction, except the school held annually during the session of the Rebekah Assembly, shall be paid for by the district, Lodge or Lodges or members receiving the instruction, and only as herein excepted shall the expenses of any such schools be paid by the Assembly.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article IV, Section 2, of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Section 2. The basis of representation in each district shall be one delegate for every 300 members; provided, however, that each district shall have at least one delegate. Said delegate shall be a resident of the district from which she is elected. Delegates shall be elected for term of two years; odd-numbered districts shall elect delegates in odd-numbered years, and even-numbered districts shall elect delegates in even-numbered years.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article VII, Section 1, of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Article VII. Home Fund and Advisory Board. Section 1. The Rebekah Assembly shall create and maintain a Home Fund for the purpose of furnishing and replenishing the furnishings from time to time as needed by the Iowa Odd Fellows Orphans and Old Folks Homes, located at Mason City, Iowa. Also to provide for school and music supplies and the teaching of music to the children of the Home.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 7. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article VI, Section 5, paragraph 6a, of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Article VI, Section 5, paragraph 6a. She shall require from the bank in which she deposits the money of the Assembly, such bond as shall be required by the Assembly.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 8. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Article X, Sections 1 and 2, of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Article X. Revenues. Section 1. For the purpose of raising a revenue to pay the expenses of the Rebekah Assembly, and to create a Home Fund, a per capita tax of 30 cents per annum shall be levied on all members enrolled in the several chartered Rebekah Lodges in the State of Iowa, and all Rebekah Lodges working under a dispensa-

tion instituted in the first half of this term, fifteen cents to be paid January 1st, and fifteen cents July 1st. Five cents of the January payment and five cents of the July payment shall be set aside for the Home Fund. It shall be the duty of the District Deputy Presidents to see that the tax is paid semi-annually at the close of each term, on or before the first meeting in January and July, and said tax will accompany the semi-annual and annual reports. These reports are to be made out by the Financial Secretary, and mailed to the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly. Dormant Lodges having failed to report, and pay tax for more than a year, shall, upon being resuscitated be required to pay only the tax for the previous term on the membership at the time of reorganization. Any Lodge failing to comply with the foregoing shall not be entitled to and shall not receive the S. A. P. W.; neither shall said Rebekah Lodge be entitled to any vote in the election of delegates.

Section 2. Any Lodge failing to report and pay tax for a year shall be deemed an extinct Lodge, and the Grand Master is empowered to take up the charter of the same.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 9. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to paragraph 2 of Section 56 of the Rebekah Lodge Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Section 56, paragraph 2. If a dropped member shall not apply for reinstatement until after one year from the time he or she has been dropped, the application for reinstatement must be accompanied with the amount of fee charged for an initiate, or such lesser sum as may be prescribed by the by-laws of the Lodge, but in no case shall the amount be less than \$1.00, and if two-thirds of the members present vote in favor thereof, the member shall be reinstated.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 10. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Section 82 of the Rebekah Lodge Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the

Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Section 82. Manner of making donations. Donations or appropriations may be made from the funds of the Lodge for charitable purposes within our Order only, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, to be expended in such manner as may be prescribed or directed; but donations to members of any fees or dues is in violation of the principles of the Order.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 11. We, your Committee on Rebekah Degree, to whom was referred the following amendment to Section 12 of the Rebekah Lodge Constitution, adopted by the Rebekah Assembly and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval, would report that we have examined the same and recommend that said amendment be approved as follows:

Section 12. When the Investigating Committee has reported upon a petition of an applicant, the same shall be balloted for with ball ballots at a regular meeting only, and if not more than two black balls appear he or she shall be declared elected. If more than two black balls appear he or she shall be declared rejected. Previous to balloting for said applicant, the presiding officer shall deliver the following charge to the members, which shall be considered binding upon them:

Sisters and Brothers: You are about to decide upon the election of a candidate for membership to this Lodge. Before voting let me admonish you to permit no religious, political or personal prejudice to influence your decision, but judge of the character of the applicant according to the same just and honorable standard by which you would have your own merits appreciated; by adhering to such rule you will insure the admission of none but worthy members into our Lodge, and preserve in it the perpetual harmony of Friendship, Love and Truth.

In balloting for members, the ballot box must be inspected by the Noble Grand after which it shall be placed near the center of the hall, in full view of the Noble Grand and Vice Grand; but one member shall approach the same at a time. After the ballot is declared closed by the Noble Grand the same shall be examined by the Noble Grand and Vice Grand together at the center of the room, when the Noble Grand shall destroy the ballot.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

Legislation

Report of Committee

The committee on legislation presented the following report:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 10. We, your Committee on Legislation, have had under consideration the amendment to Subordinate Constitution offered by Representative A. L. Heiny, and report that this amendment be submitted to this Grand Lodge without recommendation. As the Constitution now reads the Treasurer, Secretary, Recording Secretary and Financial Secretary shall be elected in December. This amendment contemplates election of Financial Secretary only in December.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

On motion the amendment to the Subordinate Constitution referred to in the above report, and found on page 152 of the Grand Secretary's report, was rejected.

The hour for the special order for the election of a Trustee having arrived the following named brothers were placed in nomination: F. J. Alber, Geo. M. Kellogg, F. W. Smith, Geo. A. Butcher, and Otto Windrath. After several ballots, the low man being dropped each time, Brother Alber receiving a majority of all votes cast was declared elected Trustee for the term of three years.

The Grand Master presented a bill for the canvassing of the vote for Grand Lodge officers which was referred to the Finance Committee.

Representatives M. O. Fouts and J. M. Gardner asked to be excused at the close of the day's session, and their requests were granted.

Necrology

Report of Special Committee

The special committee appointed to prepare a memorial

on the death of Past Grand Master M. W. White, presented the following which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Necrology, to whom was referred that part of the report of the Grand Secretary in relation to the death of Past Grand Master M. W. White, as found on page 152 of said report, state that we have given the same consideration and say to this Grand Body, Past Grand Master M. W. White served as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Iowa from October, 1903, to October, 1904. Brother White was born in Ohio in 1854, and eleven years later, with his parents moved to Iowa. He joined Van Horn Lodge No. 249 in 1884, and became a member of Western Star Lodge No. 282 in 1889. He died August 11, 1920. He was a physician by profession. We might indeed say of him, as was said of one long ago, "He was a beloved physician."

Past Grand Master White was one of the best-known Odd Fellows in Iowa. He had in an unusual degree the love, respect and admiration of the Odd Fellows of Iowa. Yes, he is dead, but the influence of such men as he does not die. No words of this committee can add to the standing of our dead brother, and we can only join in voicing our appreciation of his worth and character. As our Grand Master has said, "He lived to serve mankind," and he had in a pronounced measure an abiding faith in "The Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man," through the long years he was devoted to the interests of Odd Fellowship and nurtured its growth in this state with the sincere devotion of a father. He was busy in the practice of his profession and had many interests in the community where he resided and always he was true to the best in manhood.

We now say, good-bye Brother White, and perhaps the only memorial we shall build to your name in this Grand Jurisdiction is that Odd Fellowship itself shall have attained a higher standard in all of its activities because you lived and were so important a part of it. We shall not forget.

Fraternally submitted,

H. F. Wagner,

Stymest Stevenson,

Jack Asprey,

H. C. Ring,

Chas. Launsbach, Jr.,

Committee.

On motion the Grand Lodge adjourned until 9 o'clock Friday morning.

Third Day

Friday, October 22, 1920.

The Grand Lodge opened at 9 o'clock a. m. The Grand Marshal and Grand Conductor examined the members present and reported all entitled to seats in the Grand Lodge. The Grand Chaplain offered prayer. The Grand Lodge was then declared open for the transaction of business. The Grand Secretary called the roll of Officers, Representatives, Past Grand Masters and Committeemen, and announced a quorum present.

On motion of Past Grand Master J. S. Bellamy the address delivered before the Grand Lodge by Grand Sire Joseph Oliver was ordered published in the proceedings.

Committee From the Grand Encampment

A committee consisting of Past Grand Patriarchs J. C. Koonz, J. S. Bellamy, and Z. A. Church, presented greetings from the Grand Encampment, to which Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner made response.

On motion the exemplification of the Unwritten Work was made a special order for 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Courtesies

Report of Committee

The Committee on Courtesies presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your Committee on Courtesies submits the following report:

That we appreciate the visit to this city of beautiful homes, parks and boulevards, the early gateway into the Domain of Iowa. The beautiful land, historical in all that builds a state with men and women, good and true. The home of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs devoted to the tenets of our Order and from its members has given to the Order one of its honored Grand Sires, Erie J. Leech, and while here have enjoyed the hospitality so generously extended by all of its citizens, and have gratefully accepted the favors shown us.

We especially commend the Rebekah and Subordinate Lodges in this city for the ever-present attention and desire to contribute to our comfort and happiness, the cordiality of their greetings and in all things to bring to this Jurisdiction one of its best Grand Lodge sessions.

Too much can hardly be said in praise of the General Committee of Arrangements and the other committees and of the work done in making our stay in this goodly city pleasant and profitable.

We appreciate and give expression to the press—The Gate City, for its courtesy in the notices of and reports of this annual session, and the evident desire to aid in the success of this Grand Lodge session.

It is but just to say that we have been royally entertained.

The good care and attention of the hotels have been supplemented by the opening of homes for our pleasure, and in all things we have been so kindly received and entertained that we wish to express our warmest praise and thanks.

We do not fail to recognize the tender of the use of the Presbyterian Church for our Memorial services, and to the other fraternal orders in this city for the use of their halls and the courtesies extended.

Much more might be said, much more ought to be said, but when we say that we have been so generously and royally received and entertained that the best we can do is to sincerely return our thanks and leave with our best wishes.

We must not close our report without expression of our love and esteem for our Grand Master, F. F. Rodgers, our Grand Secretary, L. W. Smith, and the other efficient officers of this Grand Lodge and commend their fidelity to duty, and express our appreciation of the great aid in association with the Rebekah State Assembly and the inspiration given us in the devoted work of our Sisters of the Assembly.

Fraternally submitted,

J. H. Henderson,

Z. A. Church,

H. F. Wagner,

Committee.

Legislation

Resolution by Committee

The Committee on Legislation presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your committee submits for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Grand Lodge presents to our retiring Grand Master the Code which he has so faithfully studied and used during the year of his administration.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

Past Grand Master J. H. Henderson asked to be excused at the noon adjournment, which request was granted.

Mileage and Per Diem

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem presented the following two reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. Resolved, That the appointive officers who have appeared here today to be installed in their respective offices be allowed mileage at seven cents per mile one way, and one day's per diem.

Fraternally submitted,

D. F. Davis,

Guy M. Everett,

R. H. Lisetor,

A. E. Tyler,

O. E. Johnson,

J. S. Forgrave,

Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem submits the following report:

Total number of persons on the pay roll is 152, of which 104 are Representatives and 48 officers, committeemen and Past Grand Masters. The total number of miles traveled one way by those on the pay roll is 31,038, an average of 205 miles for each person. This does not include the return trip. The total amount paid for mileage is \$2,172.66. The total amount to be paid for attendance is \$2,434.00. The total for both mileage and attendance is \$4,606.66. A detailed statement is attached, showing the amount due each individual.

Your committee submits the following resolution:

Resolved, That the amounts shown in the attached table be paid, provided, that in issuing the warrants the Grand Secretary shall make proper deduction for absence and make proper addition for each day's attendance prior to opening, when required by official or committee duty.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

MILEAGE AND PER DIEM OF GRAND LODGE OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

NAME AND TITLE	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
F. F. Rodgers, Grand Master	Insurance	Ames	34f	\$24 08	\$16 00	\$40 08
John R. Price, Deputy Grand Master	Attorney	Albia	101	7 07	16 00	23 07
Lynn J. Irwin, Grand Warden	Banker	Logan	331	23 17	16 00	39 17
L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary	Grand Secretary	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
W. A. Merriam, Assistant Grand Secretary	Asst. Grand Secretary	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
A. E. Hindorff, Grand Treasurer	Banker	Newton	202	14 14	16 00	30 14
W. S. Kight, Grand Representative	Minister	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
C. E. Alexander, Grand Representative	Express Manager	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
F. J. Alber, Grand Marshal	County Auditor	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
S. B. Bair, Grand Conductor	Mgr. Service Station	Webster City	238	16 66	16 00	32 66
Jeppe Thomsen, Grand Guardian	Bolt Cutter	Missouri Valley	304	21 28	16 00	37 28
Wm. Hulett, Grand Herald	Retired	Ames	203	14 21	16 00	30 21
C. E. Behnke, Grand Messenger	Farmer	Plymouth	264	18 48	16 00	34 48
R. N. Burress, Grand Chaplain	Minister	Belmond	274	19 18	16 00	35 18
J. O. Eno, Grand In. Rep.	Court Reporter	Indianola	189	13 23	†66 00	79 23
C. E. McCanon, Grand Out. Rep.	Salesman	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
G. R. Ahrens, Finance Committee	Banker	Belle Plaine	176	12 32	*20 00	32 32
M. A. Gettis, Finance Committee	Bookkeeper	Greenfield	210	14 70	16 00	30 70
Wm. Wade, Chairman Credential Committee	Insurance	Woodward	194	13 58	*20 00	33 58
D. F. Davis, Chairman Mileage & Per Diem Committee	Railroad	Sioux City	362	25 34	16 00	41 34
Otto Windrath, Chairman Homes Committee	Merchant	Humboldt	274	19 18	16 00	35 18
W. C. Kummer, Chairman Mem. Committee	P. O. Clerk	Keokuk	---	---	16 00	16 00
W. E. Harriman, Past Grand Master	Insurance	Epworth	196	13 72	12 00	25 72
J. S. Bellamy, Past Grand Master	Mgr. Telephone Co.	Knoxville	128	8 96	16 00	24 96
J. C. Koonz, Past Grand Master	Lock Expert	Burlington	43	3 01	16 00	19 01
Z. A. Church, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Jefferson	233	16 31	16 00	32 31
J. H. Henderson, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
D. B. Gunn, Past Grand Master	Manufacturer	Red Oak	240	16 80	12 00	28 80
H. C. Ring, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Cedar Rapids	141	9 87	*20 00	29 87
Stymest Stevenson, Past Grand Master	Lumber Dealer	Council Bluffs	291	20 37	16 00	36 37
H. F. Wagner, Past Grand Master	Attorney	Sigourney	128	8 96	*24 00	32 96
O. H. Sweeney, Past Grand Master	Real Estate	Waterloo	193	13 51	*24 00	37 51
J. M. Hazlett, Past Grand Master	Bookbinder	Mason City	263	18 41	*24 00	42 41
Catherine Davis, Stenographer	Stenographer	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
Total			6858	\$480 06	\$622 00	\$1102 06

*Extra time on committee work.

†Extra Per diem

TRUSTEES, BOARD OF INSTRUCTION, ELECTIVE AND
APPOINTIVE OFFICERS

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
John C. Scott	Sheriff	Keokuk			\$16 00	\$16 00
A. C. Cherry	County Treas.	Cedar Rapids	141	9 87	16 00	25 87
W. W. Brunton	Insurance	Boone	210	14 70	16 00	30 70
N. D. Smith	Printer	Cedar Rapids	141	9 87	16 00	25 87
A. H. Estes	Farmer	Waukee	182	12 74	16 00	28 74
R. H. Lambertson	Retired	DeWitt	154	10 78	16 00	26 78
W. L. Blosser	Hardware Dealer	Moulton	87	6 09	16 00	22 09
L. J. Neff	Attorney	Walnut	262	18 34	4 00	22 34
A. W. Stubbs	Superintendent	Mason City	263	18 41	16 00	34 41
J. P. Lambertson	Justice of Peace	Albia	101	7 07	4 00	11 07
Rev. B. W. Pettit	Minsiter	Albia	101	7 07	4 00	11 07
James L. Moore	Farmer	Cedar	112	7 84	4 00	11 84
Geo. M. Beck	Farmer	Logan	331	23 17	4 00	27 17
Joe Chapman	Farmer	Washta	313	21 91	4 00	25 91
Total			2398	167 86	\$152 00	\$319 86

REPRESENTATIVES

DIST	NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
1	E. D. Walsworth	Garage Manager	Fontanelle	217	\$15 19	\$16 00	\$31 19
2	Chas A. Darrah	Painter	Corning	211	14 77	16 00	30 77
3	J. W. Campbell	Insurance Agent	Postville	239	16 73	16 00	32 73
4	Geo. B. Johnson	Auto Dealer	Moravia	103	7 21	16 00	23 21
4	R. H. Liseter	R. R. Agent	Udell	96	6 72	16 00	22 72
5	F. R. McLaughlin	Farmer	Audubon	274	19 18	16 00	35 18
6	A. K. Rife	Banker	Shellsburg	154	10 78	16 00	26 78
7	A. D. Crawford	Sign Maker	Cedar Falls	199	13 93	16 00	29 93
8	J. C. Austin	Merchant	Boone	210	14 70	16 00	30 70
9	Paul H. Shader	Printer	Waverly	215	15 05	†20 00	35 05
10	M. O. Fouts	Banker	Independence	179	12 53	12 00	24 53
11	J. B. Smith	Painter	Alta	304	21 28	16 00	37 28
12	Leo G. Dewey	Rural Carrier	Shell Rock	215	15 05	16 00	31 05
13	O. E. Johnson	Station Agent	Manson	259	18 13	16 00	34 13
14	T. W. Stevens	Farmer	Carroll	259	18 13	16 00	34 13
16	C. O. Henderson	Harness Maker	Tipton	171	11 97	16 00	27 97
17	A. R. Cain	Farmer	Clear Lake	273	19 11	16 00	35 11
17	F. W. Kidder	Clerk	Mason City	*	*	12 00	12 00
18	E. A. Banister	Farmer	Cherokee	316	22 12	16 00	38 12
19	Fred Guliek	Farmer	Nashua	229	15 03	16 00	32 03
20	L. L. Stedwell	Letter Carrier	Woodburn	148	10 36	16 00	26 36
22	E. H. Sargent	Farmer	Strawberry Point	218	15 26	16 00	31 26
23	W. L. Slocumb	Engineer	Clinton	165	11 55	16 00	27 55
24	James Pearsall	Farmer	Dow City	281	19 67	16 00	35 67
25	Wm. Winegar	Attorney	Perry	202	14 14	16 00	30 14
25	J. H. Spillers	Real Estate	Linden	204	14 28	16 00	30 28
26	S. E. Rowe	Banker	Bloomfield	89	6 23	16 00	22 23
27	J. M. Gardner	Retired	Leon	150	10 50	12 00	22 50
28	F. M. Wheeler	Merchant	Hopkinton	186	13 02	16 00	29 02
29	Harry Koepf	Clerk	Burlington	43	3 01	†20 00	23 01
30	Frank Elliott		Lake Park	376	26 32	16 00	42 32
31	John Whitsell		Epworth	196	13 72	16 00	29 72
33	C. H. Benson	Mgr. Business Col.	Celwein	219	15 33	†20 00	35 33
34	J. E. Imus	Meat Cutter	Charles. City	244	7 08	16 00	33 08
35	G. W. Hooker	Salesman	Hampton	254	17 78	16 00	33 78
36	L. E. Halloway	Contractor	Sidney	275	19 25	16 00	35 25
37	E. A. Cairns	Farmer	Farlin	239	16 73	16 00	32 73
38	J. C. Cook	Farmer	Reinbeck	200	14 00	16 00	30 00
39	A. C. Curtis	Banker	Stuart	207	14 49	16 00	30 49
40	C. L. Poland	Lineman	Webster City	238	16 66	16 00	32 66
41	E. A. Baumgartner	Clerk of Court	Garner	285	19 95	16 00	35 95
42	S. I. Rutledge	Postmaster	Iowa Falls	238	16 66	16 00	32 66

REPRESENTATIVES

DIST.	NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE	MILES	MILEAGE	PER DIEM	TOTAL
43	Guy Everett	R. R. Conductor	Mo. Valley	304	21 28	16 00	37 28
44	W. B. Daniels	Assessor	Mt. Pleasant	71	4 97	16 00	20 97
44	A. R. Lynn	Farmer	New London	62	44 34	16 00	20 34
45	J. A. Cutting	Attorney	Cresco	290	20 30	16 00	36 30
47	C. A. Jacobson	Farmer	Galva	337	23 59	16 00	39 59
48	John Keil, Jr.	Retired Merchant	Marengo	150	10 50	16 00	26 50
49	A. H. Moravec	Merchant	Fulton	174	12 18	16 00	28 18
50	A. B. Craven	Banker	Kellogg	197	13 79	16 00	29 79
51	J. L. Hieks	Telephone	Fairfield	93	6 51	16 00	22 51
52	B. V. Brindenstine	Banker	Iowa City	120	8 40	16 00	24 40
53	H. H. Soper	Retired	Anamosa	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
54	Chas. Heninger	Attorney	Sigourney	128	8 96	16 00	24 96
55	C. F. Buker	Letter Carrier	Swea City	337	23 59	16 00	39 59
56	O. L. Schl	Dentist	Keokuk			16 00	16 00
57	H. H. Bye	State Inspector	Cedar Rapids	141	9 87	16 00	25 87
57	I. L. Newman	Brickmason	Cedar Rapids	141	9 87	16 00	25 87
57	J. C. Kennedy	Farmer	Springville	151	10 57	16 00	26 57
58	O. P. Dotson	Solicitor	Wapello	72	5 04	16 00	21 04
59	F. C. Elliot	Painter	Chariton	132	9 24	16 00	25 24
60	J. K. Medberry	Bookkeeper	Rock Rapids	384	26 88	16 00	42 88
61	R. C. McKray	Farmer	Earlham	196	13 72	16 00	29 72
63	J. R. Morris		Tracy	117	8 19	16 00	24 19
65	Geo. O. Free	Banker	Mineola	271	18 97	†20 00	38 97
66	C. B. Jacobs	Farmer	Osage	257	17 99	16 00	33 99
67	Lester Seitzinger	Farmer	Smithland	336	23 52	16 00	39 52
68	Harley Miller	Merchant	Avery	96	6 72	16 00	22 72
69	F. W. Smith	Physician	Red Oak	240	16 80	16 00	32 80
70	C. G. Brown	Auto Dealer	West Liberty	104	7 28	16 00	23 28
72	J. D. Forbes	Contractor	Harris	382	26 74	16 00	42 74
73	Guy L. Pond	Contractor	Shenandoah	244	17 08	16 00	33 08
74	Geo G. Struthers	Farmer	West Bend	310	21 70	16 00	37 70
75	R. J. Spies	Farmer	Merrill	380	26 60	16 00	42 60
76	L. R. Wright	Merchant	Fonda	280	19 60	16 00	35 60
77	J. B. Lamb	Teacher	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
77	L. Nelson	Section Foreman	Ankeny	188	13 16	16 00	29 16
77	A. E. Tyler	Bookkeeper	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
77	C. E. Cornish	Millwright	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
77	Eugene Ford	Farmer	Mitchellville	184	12 88	16 00	28 88
77	C. C. Cook	Health Inspector	Des Moines	167	11 69	16 00	27 69
78	Zena Briggs	Farmer	Hancock	274	19 18	12 00	31 18
78	Wm Wiese	Retired	Council Bluffs	291	20 37	16 00	36 37
79	F. P. Marvin	Sec. Inv. Co	Grinnell	135	9 45	†20 00	29 45
80	Berdette Hersom	Postmaster	Diagonal	182	12 74	16 00	28 74
81	W. C. Abney	Farmer	Yetter	276	19 32	12 00	31 32
82	John P. Weir	Attorney	Davenport	131	9 17	16 00	25 17
84	Geo. F. Hillmer	Commissioner	Rock Valley	358	25 06	16 00	41 06
85	F. L. Albaugh	Painter	Nevada	203	14 21	†20 00	34 21
86	J. W. Schreiner	Mfg.	Gladbrook	212	14 84	16 00	30 84
87	W. H. Kemery	Clerk	Bedford	206	14 42	16 00	30 42
88	Homer Kellogg	Fireman	Creston	190	13 30	16 00	29 30
89	J. S. Forgrave	Postmaster	Farmington	37	2 59	16 00	18 59
90	C. D. Evans	Banker	Ottumwa	77	5 39	16 00	21 39
91	N. I. Seibert	Carpenter	Indianola	189	13 23	12 00	25 23
92	Fred Herr	Retired Farmer	Wellman	127	8 89	16 00	24 89
93	M. A. True	Farmer	Seymour	121	8 47	12 00	20 47
94	L. L. Harmon	Fireman	Fort Dodge	252	17 64	16 00	33 64
95	M. V. Secor	Plumber	Buffalo Center	318	22 26	16 00	38 26
96	Abe Pierce	Farmer	Prosper, Minn.	375	26 25	16 00	42 25
97	Jack Asprey	Merchant	Sioux City	362	25 34	16 00	41 34
97	Chas. Launsbaeh	Jeweler	Sioux City	362	25 34	16 00	41 34
97	B. W. Pilkington	Farmer	Anthon	352	24 64	16 00	40 64
98	W. J. Flower	Lumberman	Manly	268	18 76	16 00	34 76
Total				21782	\$1524 74	\$1660 00	\$3184 74
Total paid officers, committees, etc.				9256	\$ 647 92	\$ 774 00	\$1421 92
Total paid representatives				21782	1524 74	1660 00	3184 74
Grand Total				31038	\$2172 66	\$2434 00	\$4606 66

*Mileage paid by Grand Encampment

†Extra time on committee work.

As provided by Report No. 9 of the Committee on Legislation the Grand Master appointed Representatives J. W. Schreiner, Chas. C. Heninger, and Chas. A. Darrah, a committee to investigate and report at the next session in regard to fire insurance.

The following telegram was read and on motion was ordered printed in the journal:

"Des Moines, Iowa, October 21, 1920.

"Mr. C. E. Cornish,

"Care Odd Fellows Grand Lodge, Keokuk, Iowa.

"Des Moines Chamber of Commerce will co-operate in every way with local organizations in extending an invitation to the Grand Lodge for 1921 meeting. Will provide all meeting places; guarantee ample hotel accommodations at reasonable rates; furnish one band for the parade and lend assistance in carrying out of necessary details. Our two large hotels will assure much better housing than in 1917. Suggest you consult with representatives of local organizations and with their approval present invitation. Inquire if more information is needed.

"G. E. Hamilton,

"Secy. Convention Bureau."

Homes

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Homes presented the following four reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Homes, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report entitled "Our Homes at Mason City" and "New Superintendent," found on page 86, also "Official Visits to the Homes" and "Entertainment Fund," found in the Grand Master's Supplemental Report, beg leave to report that we have given the same careful consideration and recommend that the same be approved and adopted by this Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

Otto Windrath,
Guy L. Pond,
T. W. Stevens,
A. R. Cain,
G. W. Hooker,

John Keil, Jr.,
W. S. Kight,
F. R. McLaughlin,
L. E. Halloway,
Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Homes, to whom was referred that part of the Trustees', Matron's and Superintendent's report relating to Homes and farm, beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same and recommend that the same be approved and adopted.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Homes, to whom was referred report No. 3, for further consideration, touching the matter of professional chiropractic treatments for Brother Martin Scholtz, a resident of the Home and an invalid, beg leave to state that we have further considered the matter and recommend that the whole matter be referred to the Trustees of the Home and that they take such action, and to such extent in the matter as may be necessary to bring about a relief of his condition in whole or in part, or until such time as they may be satisfied that a cure cannot be accomplished, and that such expense be paid out of the Home fund, until the next session of the Grand Lodge, when the same shall be paid for out of a special appropriation made therefor by special provision of the Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Homes, to whom was referred the Rules and Regulations of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes submitted by the Trustees, beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration and recommend that rules be adopted as follows:

Rule 1. Applications for admission to the Home shall be made by the Lodge in whose jurisdiction the candidate for admission may reside; if a brother, the application shall be made by the Subordinate Lodge; if a sister, the application shall be made by the Rebekah Lodge. If the applicants are children the application shall be made through that branch of the Order in which the parent may hold membership, provided, that should the applicant or parent be a member of a Subordinate or Rebekah Lodge in which said applicant or parent may hold membership, or did hold membership at the time of said parent's decease. The application for admission of an Odd Fellow's widow shall be made by a Subordinate Lodge, under the rules and conditions re-

quired for a brother, provided, that in doubtful cases, before an applicant is admitted to the Home, at least one member of the Board of Trustees shall make a personal investigation as to the merits of the case.

Applications for admission to the Home shall be made in duplicate on blanks to be furnished by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, one copy to be retained by the Lodge making the application and one to be sent to the chairman, who shall investigate or cause to be investigated the qualifications of such applicant or applicants.

Rule 2. A brother or sister applying for admission to the Home, and who has no wife or husband living, and no minor child or children dependent upon him or her for support, shall, as a condition precedent to admission, be required to surrender, assign, transfer, and set over to the Grand Lodge of Iowa for the use and benefit of the Home, all of his or her property, both real and personal, including life insurance, property in expectancy, and benefits from fraternal or other organizations; provided, however, that the Grand Lodge shall not be empowered to expend such property, or the income or the proceeds from the sale thereof, except in such an amount as will cover the entire cost of maintaining the said resident, until after the death of said resident, in which event the remainder of the estate shall become the absolute property of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, to be used for the benefit of the Home. Provided, however, should a member desire to leave the Home after being admitted, or should the Board of Trustees decide that the interests of the Home require that such members should leave the Home, any property which may have been conveyed or donated to the Home by said member, after deducting a pro rata amount for the maintenance of said Home, while he or she was a resident thereof, shall be repaid to said member.

Rule 3. If a child for whom application for admission to the Home has been made, has in its own right or in expectancy, any estate, real or personal, the Board of Trustees may require, as a condition precedent to admission to the Home, that a legal guardian shall be appointed for estate only of said child.

Rule 4. In case the living parent of a resident of the Home shall remarry, thus establishing a home of their own, the father or mother, as the case may be, shall remove said child or children from the Home; provided, however, the Trustees may permit such child or children to remain at the Home if the conditions and circumstances shall in their opinion warrant it and it would be for the best interest of such resident or residents.

Rule 5. Admission to the Home shall be free unless otherwise arranged by contract with the Trustees. In all cases the relatives, friends or the Lodge making the application shall pay the necessary traveling expenses for conveying residents to the Home.

Rule 6. If desired by friends or Lodge, placing children in the Home, children may be placed in individual homes as such are found to admit them; and the strictest care should be exercised in the selection of these homes; and they shall, as occasion requires, be visited by some one designated by the Board of Trustees; and if at any time, such individual homes are found to be not satisfactory, the Board of Trustees shall have power, and it shall be their duty, to reclaim the children.

In all cases where children of the Home are by mutual consent placed in private homes, the family receiving the child or children must pay the cost of transportation.

Rule 7. No insane or idiotic person, nor any one afflicted with epilepsy or defective mind, or addicted to the use of morphine or intoxicating drugs or liquors, nor persons of immoral character shall be admitted to the Home.

Rule 8. If after any resident shall have been admitted to the Home it shall be established that such admission was obtained through misrepresentation or through some concealment of facts, which if known would have rendered him or her inadmissible, the same shall be discharged and sent back by the Trustees.

Rule 9. The Trustees shall employ a Superintendent and Matron who shall diligently and carefully attend to the morals, diet, health and education of the children, and the general order and economy of the Home, shall enter the names in a book of the residents admitted, their age and the date of admission to the Home. Also the names and residence of their nearest relatives, and such other proper information relating to them as they can obtain and may deem useful; shall also see that the children shall be employed, as far as practicable, in useful domestic and agricultural labor, and shall grant such recreation as will contribute to their health and make them averse to idleness; shall report to the Chairman of the Home Trustees in writing the first day of each month, together with suggestions tending to the improvement of the Home, and list of articles purchased and donated, and required for the same, shall see that all rules and regulations adopted for the government of the Home and its grounds are strictly observed by the employes of the same; shall make annually, on the first day of September in each year, an inventory of all articles belonging to the Home, and submit the same to the Board; shall see

that the children are kept clean and their clothes in order; shall be present while the children are taking their meals, and see that thanks for the same are returned before each meal, and that the children be taught the Lord's prayer; shall receive visitors and treat them with politeness. Whenever any of the residents meet with an accident, or are ill, shall immediately send for the physician named by the Board, and shall also inform the Trustees; shall see that the entire premises are kept in order; under instructions of the Board shall engage servants and help, and discharge them upon any neglect of duty or insubordination; shall see that a sufficient quantity of clean, wholesome food is furnished at each meal. The servants and employes shall receive their orders immediately from the Superintendent or Matron, as the case may be, and shall conduct themselves in strict conformity with the rules of the Home.

It shall be the duty of the Superintendent and Matron to purchase all necessary supplies for the Home, by and under the supervision of the Trustees; taking bills in triplicate, fully itemized as to quantity and price, said bills to be receipted by the seller. These bills shall be checked and o. k.'d as to quantity by the Superintendent of the Home, as to price by the Matron; after checking one copy shall be filed in the Superintendent's office, two copies shall be sent to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees; and all supplies to be paid for by the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees by a bank check. The Superintendent shall give a surety bond for the faithful performance of his duties and for a true accounting for all moneys or articles of value coming into his possession, in such sum as shall be fixed by the Trustees, said bond to be paid for by the Grand Lodge. All moneys coming into his possession to be sent to the Grand Secretary.

The Superintendent shall hold his office during the pleasure of the Board and shall be responsible for all properties of every description that may come into his hands, or into any of the buildings of the Home.

Rule 10. The Matron is to be the assistant of the Superintendent in the execution of all his duties, and in his absence; and as such assistant, is clothed with the duty of directing and managing the Homes, all as contemplated in these rules subject only to the general supervision of the Superintendent and Trustees.

Rule 11. When the annual statement of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees shall show a balance on the first day of September of any year in the designated bank at the Home of the Treasurer of less than \$6,000.00 the Grand Master and Grand Secretary shall draw

a warrant for such amount as shall supply the deficiency below said sum of \$6,000.00, and shall send said warrant to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees for deposit to his credit as Treasurer, in such designated bank.

The first of each month the Chairman and Secretary shall check up the bills paid during the previous month and report the amount to the Grand Secretary; on receipt of this report the Grand Master and Grand Secretary shall draw a warrant for said amount, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees and shall forward the same to him for deposit to his credit as Treasurer, in the designated bank at the Home of the Treasurer.

Rule 12. The Trustees shall set aside and maintain a fund for the use of the Superintendent, not to exceed \$150.00, to pay sundry small bills. The Superintendent to make a complete report to the Board of Trustees as to disbursements at the end of each month.

Rule 13. The Board of Trustees shall employ a farm manager who shall have charge of the farm and the labors on the farm. He shall confer with the Board of Trustees from time to time as the necessities of his position and work may require, and shall receive such compensation as the Board of Trustees may determine.

Rule 14. No games or plays having a tendency to gambling or other immorality shall be permitted, nor will the use of tobacco in any form be allowed to the children, and no resident shall be allowed the use of tobacco in any form except in a room designated for that purpose. No spirits in any form shall be allowed to be used in the Home or about the buildings, except for medical purposes. Nor shall any persons be permitted to remain at the Home in any capacity who are in the habit of becoming intoxicated.

Rule 15. Punishment may be inflicted by the Superintendent, but no cruel punishment shall be used. No insubordination to be allowed by the residents of the Home.

Rule 16. The rooms and halls shall be swept every morning and all uncarpeted rooms and halls washed twice a week. The bedding shall be aired, contents of mattresses renewed from time to time by direction of the Superintendent as often as is necessary for cleanliness and health. Windows and doors shall be left open whenever the weather will permit, and clean bedding furnished as often as is necessary.

Rule 17. When children do not attend services at church, there shall be family prayers, consisting of Bible reading, prayer and the singing of religious hymns every Sunday, including a Sunday School

service, or other similar exercises for the study of the Holy Bible. Kindness and politeness among employes and children is strictly enjoined. No rudeness or violent language will be tolerated from any person under any circumstances whatever. Residents shall not leave the Home without the permission of the Superintendent, and all must be obedient and respectful to the orders and instructions of the same. No boarders or lodgers will be allowed at the Home.

Rule 18. The hours for meals shall be as follows:

Breakfast: In winter, 7:30 o'clock; in summer, 7:00 o'clock.

Dinner: In winter, 12:00 o'clock; in summer, 12:00 o'clock.

Supper: In winter, 5:00 o'clock; in summer, 6:00 o'clock.

At night one responsible person must be upon each floor where residents sleep.

Rule 19. Persons admitted to the Home, not complying with the rules established for its government, or whose personal habits and conduct may be such as to disturb the peace and comfort of other occupants and endanger its discipline, will be discharged therefrom and returned to the Lodge or persons from whom received by the Chairman, by and with the consent in writing of a majority of the Board.

Rule 20. Each child must be provided with suitable clothing at time of admission by the parent, Lodge or friends procuring its admission, which must include at least two entire suits, including underwear.

Rule 21. The Superintendent has absolute authority over the Home and the residents thereof, and strict obedience must be given to him and his requests. In the absence of the Superintendent from the Home the person left in charge by him shall assume his place and be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Rule 22. Members of the Home shall keep their rooms clean and in order and shall be held responsible for the condition thereof. Those who are helpless will be rendered assistance in such matters.

Rule 23. All residents shall keep themselves neat and tidy in appearance.

Rule 24. All residents of the Home shall perform such labor as they are physically able and as shall be assigned them by the Superintendent.

Rule 25. All complaints and criticism of any character whatsoever in matters pertaining to the Home or its management shall be made to the Superintendent, subject to appeal to the Board of Trustees.

Any resident of the Home who shall make known their complaints

to other persons than the Superintendent and Trustees may be discharged from the Home.

Rule 26. Every resident of the Home shall have the privilege to attend worship in any church according to the dictates of his or her conscience. Every resident under eighteen years of age is required to attend family worship at the Home unless excused by the Superintendent; residents over eighteen years of age are invited and expected to attend; and no resident of the Home shall in any manner whatsoever influence, prevent or persuade others from attending such worship or criticise the same.

Rule 27. Every resident of the Home must be in readiness to attend meals when the second bell rings. First bell means to get ready; the second bell means meal ready.

Rule 28. Every resident of the Home shall fully comply with all the rules, and any resident who shall wilfully violate any of these rules may be discharged from the Home by the Board of Trustees.

Rule 29. The Superintendent shall have full power during the recess to make such necessary rules for the peace and happiness and comfort of the Home, as his judgment may dictate, and not in conflict with these or other rules of the Grand Lodge or of the Home and report the same to the Board at its next meeting with reasons for same. Subject to approval by the Board.

Rule 30. The Board of Trustees are directed and required to arrange for the attendance in the public schools of Mason City of all residents of school age who have attained the eighth grade or upward.

The object will be to teach every child to be industrious and self-reliant and to place within his or her reach some tangible means of support, and from the beginning and during the entire period of residence at the Home each child will be expected and required to perform his or her share of the work of the Home, the part or share to be determined by the age, sex and ability of the child.

Rule 31. The Home shall be open to visitors on Thursday of each week from 2 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m., except visitors from places outside of Mason City, who may be admitted at the discretion of the Superintendent. No visitors shall be admitted to the Home on Sunday, except by special permission of Superintendent.

Rule 32. The Trustees shall have printed and posted in the sleeping rooms or other places about the Home such rules of discipline as they may deem necessary.

Rule 33. The Trustees shall have the authority to determine the amount that shall be paid by the parent for the maintenance of a half

orphan at the Home. When such resident reaches the age of sixteen years it shall be at the discretion of the Trustees as to further maintenance of such resident and to prescribe the amount to be paid for further maintenance, said decision to be governed by the circumstances of the parent.

Rule 34. Residents must not be discharged from the Home or permitted to leave without the consent in writing of the Chairman of the Trustees. No resident having been discharged will be permitted to return except by regular application being made as in first instance. Residents granted a vacation must not remain away for a longer period than that granted by the Chairman of the Board and if they do so it will be at the risk of being discharged from the Home.

Rule 35. That in all cases where a resident of the Odd Fellows and Orphans Home dies and the remains are sent from the Home for burial the expenses incurred after such remains shall have left the Home shall be paid by the Lodge making the application for admission or by relatives or friends.

Rule 36. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent on the first day of each month to send to each party executing contracts for the admission of residents, and also to each Lodge guaranteeing the same, demands for all amounts then due, under said contract, and on the 15th day of each month to report to the Secretary of the Board of Trustees all of such amounts then remaining unpaid.

Rule 37. In going to meals the elevator shall not be used for less than three or a full load, ten to fourteen people being the capacity.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

The Unwritten Work of the Order was ably exemplified by Brothers W. W. Brunton and Norman D. Smith, members of the Board of Instruction.

Near East or Armenian Relief Association

Report of Special Committee

The following report of the special committee on the Near East Relief Association was presented and adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your special committee, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's report, found on pages 71 and 72, entitled "The Near East or Armenian Relief Association" beg to report as follows:

We find through evidence submitted to this committee, that Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges of this Grand Jurisdiction, have been circularized for donations to be used for relief outside of our Order, and that a great many of these Lodges have responded to this call, in direct violation of our laws embodied in Section 177, Subordinate Constitution, and Section 316-j, of the code.

There is evidence through the official communications of our Grand Master that Lodge funds are trust funds that could not be donated to the aforesaid association or cause. Notwithstanding this admonition and citation of law regarding such donations, we find that hundreds of dollars were misappropriated in this way.

In view of the possible misinterpretation of such portion of Section 167, Subordinate Constitution relating to donations or appropriations from the funds of a Lodge for charitable purposes, we would especially call to the attention of the Lodges that such donations outside of the Order, are in direct violation of our laws.

We commend the action of our Grand Master, in informing the Lodges that the Lodge treasuries must be reimbursed to the extent of such contributions.

We are also of the opinion that our Grand Master, by virtue of the power vested in him, has authority and full jurisdiction to compel the restitution of any funds thus misappropriated, and upon failure of compliance with such request within a reasonable period of time, we are of the opinion that any such offending Lodge should be penalized, if necessary, to the extent of suspension, and taking of its charter.

Fraternally submitted,

A. E. Tyler,
H. H. Bye,
Eugene Ford,

I. L. Newman,
Ed Walsworth,
Committee.

By request of the chairman of the Finance Committee, on motion, the bill of the architects for preparing plans and specifications for the Boys' Dormitory was referred to the Judiciary Committee. Representative W. H. Winegar and Past Grand Masters Z. A. Church and J. H. Henderson were added to the Judiciary Committee and instructed to prepare an opinion as to the liability of this Grand Lodge in regard to said claim.

Amendments to the Subordinate Constitution

The following amendment was submitted by Past Grand Master Z. A. Church:

Amend paragraph 3, Section 175, Subordinate Constitution, by adding the following: "but any amendment to the Constitution may be offered and acted upon if proposed by any committee of the Grand Lodge, or any representative, at same session," so that said paragraph 3, when amended, will read as follows:

III. Whenever a Lodge or brother desires to submit an amendment to the Subordinate Constitution to be acted on at the next coming session, said Lodge or brother shall prepare in writing the proposed amendment and submit same to the Grand Secretary at least thirty days before the day of opening the next session of the Grand Lodge, and when so submitted by the Grand Secretary shall have same printed in his report. Any amendment not so received shall lay over until the next session of the Grand Lodge, but any amendment to the Constitution may be offered and acted upon if proposed by any committee of the Grand Lodge, or any Representative, at same session.

Communications

Reports of Special Committee

The Special Committee on Communications presented the following two reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, the undersigned, your committee to whom was referred the communication of Past Grand Master E. W. Cutting expressing his inability to be present at this session of the Grand Lodge, have had the same under consideration and say on behalf of the Grand Lodge that we regret very much his inability to be present.

We feel the loss of his presence, his counsel and advice and trust that in the future he may be able to be with us.

We recommend that the communication be not published in the Journal of Proceedings.

Fraternally submitted,

John R. Price,
Lynn J. Irwin,

Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, the undersigned, your committee to whom was referred the communication of Past Grand Master N. Jasper Jones, expressing his inability to be present at this session of the Grand Lodge, have had the same under consideration and say on behalf of the Grand Lodge that we regret very much his inability to be present.

We feel the loss of his presence, his counsel and advice and trust that in the future he may be able to be with us.

We recommend that the communication be not published in the Journal of Proceedings.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

Appeals

Report of Committee

The Committee on Appeals presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Appeals, to whom was referred that portion of page 70 of the Grand Master's report entitled Ruth Lodge No. 13 vs. Emily Paschal, beg leave to report that no transcript of the proceedings with reference to the trial therein referred to has as yet reached this committee, therefore, there is nothing before this committee for determination at this time, and we recommend that the entire case, when transcript is received, be referred to the Committee on Appeals for determination.

Fraternally submitted,
J. M. Hazlett,
H. F. Wagner,
O. H. Sweeney,
Committee.

Miscellaneous Business

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Miscellaneous Business presented the following six reports, which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom

was referred that part of the Grand Master's report found on page 65, pertaining to the dedication of new temples, beg to report that we heartily approve of the action of the Grand Master and especially do we approve of his choice in appointing Past Grand Master J. M. Hazlett to act in his stead in the dedication of the temple referred to.

Fraternally submitted,

J. L. Hicks,	Lester Seitzinger,
C. D. Evans,	G. F. Hillmer,
A. H. Moravec,	Geo. B. Johnson,
H. H. Soper,	Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report, found on page 90, pertaining to the Iowa Odd Fellow, do approve of the same and recommend that this paper be designated as the official organ of this Grand Lodge. We would further recommend that each issue of the Iowa Odd Fellow be sent to the Secretary of each Subordinate Lodge and a sufficient sum of money be appropriated by this Grand Lodge to pay for the same.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report found on pages 91 and 92, referring to official communications being printed in the Journal of this year would recommend that on account of the abnormal cost of printing and print paper that they be not printed.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report found on page 92, of the Grand Secretary's report found on page 121, relating to the Quasqueton property, beg leave to report as follows:

We have had an interview with Representative M. O. Fouts, who was appointed by the Grand Master as a special committee to investigate the property. We find that the building is very cheaply constructed and property in Quasqueton is very low in price, it being an inland town. The offer of \$650.00, mentioned in the Grand Master's report, included a certain carpet on the floor of the hall. We would

recommend that the offer be accepted and the Grand Master and Grand Secretary be instructed to proceed with the sale of the building and carpet at their earliest convenience.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Supplemental report to report No. 4. About two years ago the charter of Franklin Lodge No. 59, located at Quasqueton, was taken up, and through purchase in a foreclosure sale, the Grand Lodge came into possession of a two-story frame building formerly owned by said Lodge. A sheriff's deed has been issued and the title now is legally in the Grand Lodge.

The session of 1919 authorized the Grand Master and Grand Secretary to make such disposition of the property as they deemed best, and by request of the Grand Master I have endeavored to sell it. A conditional offer of \$650.00 was received, but the Grand Master and myself considered this too low. Following that I have had the matter up with eight or ten prospective purchasers, but the fact is the building is cheaply constructed, and I have been absolutely unable to close a deal. The siding is directly on the studding, and it is covered only with boards inside. Three or four carpenters have considered buying it for the lumber it contains, but are unwilling to pay more than \$600.00. Business property in Quasqueton is worth little as their railroad has been torn up. It has practically no rental value.

I now have a definite offer of \$650.00, including an old carpet, and in view of the improbability of getting more and as this amount is \$200.00 more than the property has cost the Grand Lodge, its sale is recommended.

Fraternally submitted,

M. O. Fouts.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report found on page 90, and the Grand Secretary's report found on page 121, pertaining to the Stiner property at Eldon, Iowa, beg leave to submit the following:

That we concur with his recommendation and advise that the Grand Master and Grand Secretary be instructed to sell the above-mentioned property at the earliest possible date to the best advantage of this Grand Lodge, leaving the entire matter to the judgment and discretion of said officers.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. We, your Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Master's Supplemental Report referring to the visit of Grand Sire Joseph Oliver, to the Jurisdiction of Iowa, fully concur with our Grand Master F. F. Rodgers, that this is of especial importance and a great honor to the Jurisdiction and especially to our Grand Master in view of the visit of the Grand Sire to the home Lodge of Grand Master Rodgers at Ames, Iowa. The Grand Sire's remarks at this Grand Session sown in fertile soil, will spring forth and bear fruit an hundred fold to the good of the Order and the uplift of humanity. Come again, Grand Sire.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

Boys' Dormitory

Report of Special Committee

The Special Committee on Boys' Dormitory Building presented the following report which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your Special Committee on Dormitory Building, beg leave to report in view of legislation passed by this Grand Body yesterday, we have nothing to report.

Fraternally submitted,

Jack Asprey,

Homer Kellogg,

A. E. Baumgartner,

C. E. Cornish,

Chas. C. Heninger,

Committee.

Surety Bonds

Report of Special Committee

The Special Committee on Surety Bonds presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your special committee to whom was referred that part of the Grand Secretary's report relating to "Surety Bonds," found on page 121, would report that we have given the matter careful consideration and find it to be of great importance, and in view of the fact that this committee have not the time during the present session to give the matter the attention and investigation which it merits, we recommend that the matter be referred to a committee of

three to be appointed by the Grand Master for thorough investigation, and to make report at the next session of this Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

A. D. Crawford,	O. E. Johnson,
Geo. B. Johnson,	Lester Seitzinger,
F. R. Gulick,	C. F. Buker,
J. S. Forgrave,	Committee.

Grand Representatives W. S. Kight and C. E. Alexander were presented and each briefly addressed the Grand Lodge regarding the business transacted by The Sovereign Grand Lodge at its Boston session. On motion of Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner a rising vote of thanks was extended to our Grand Representatives for the services rendered this Grand Jurisdiction at The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

The Grand Master appointed Past Grand Master C. E. Alexander, Representatives S. I. Rutledge and John Weir, as a committee to investigate the Surety Bond proposition. Said committee to make report at the next session of the Grand Lodge.

Special Judiciary Committee

Report

The Special Judiciary Committee presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Your special committee appointed to report upon the legal liability of this Grand Lodge on the bill presented by J. H. Felt & Company, architects, in preparing the plans, specifications, details, and writing advertisements for bids and attending to making contracts, beg leave to submit the following report:

We find that at the annual session of this Grand Lodge in 1919 the Finance Committee recommended that a committee be appointed by the Grand Lodge for the purpose of selecting the site and erecting the boys' dormitory and in the report, said, "And that said special committee shall have full power in all matters pertaining to the selection of the site and the erection of said building," and that the committee consisted of the then Grand Master, J. M. Hazlett, and the

Board of Trustees of the Odd Fellows and Orphans Home. This report of the Finance Committee was duly and legally adopted by the Grand Lodge.

We have had before us the record as kept by the said committee and find that plans and specifications of architects were received from a number of architects and that upon consideration the said committee accepted the plans of the said J. H. Felt & Company, at the agreed price of three per cent upon the contract price for the preparation of the plans, specification, details, etc., and the further compensation of superintendents during the process of construction, of two per cent. The building not being constructed there is no claim for the two per cent compensation. Bids were submitted to the Committee for the construction of the building, and opened by the committee upon the following bids thereon, to-wit:

General contract, \$105,755.00.

Heating and plumbing, \$14,076.00.

Electric wiring, \$1,431.00, or a total of \$121,262.00.

The percentage under the contract being three per cent, the amount of the claim is as filed \$3,637.86.

We further find that the plans, specification, details, etc., were furnished, accepted and approved by the committee, and that they have complied with the terms of their contract.

Under the above statement of fact we are asked to report upon the legal liability of this Grand Lodge for the payment of the bill.

Your committee finds that full power and authority was given to the committee appointed by this Grand Lodge, and that all that was done was within the authority so conferred and we, therefore, find that this Grand Lodge is legally liable for the amount of said claim under said contract, and in our judgment should be paid.

Fraternally submitted,

H. C. Ring,
C. H. Benson,
J. H. Henderson,
John Weir,
Harry Koepf,

Z. A. Church,
Wm. H. Winegar,
Paul H. Shader,
Chas. Launsbach, Jr.,
Committee.

On motion Representatives W. L. Slocumb, E. D. Walsworth, S. I. Rutledge, and O. P. Dotson, were excused at the close of the forenoon session.

Judiciary

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Judiciary presented the following three reports, which were severally adopted, except Report No. 5, which was rejected:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your Judiciary Committee, to whom was re-referred Decision No. 13 of the Grand Master, as found on page 41 of the Grand Master's report, beg leave to advise the Grand Lodge that we have very carefully reconsidered this decision and believe the answer should be modified as follows:

The last sentence of the decision being the words "therefore, the answer is, yes," should be stricken out and the following inserted in lieu thereof: "It is necessary only for the applicant to obtain the consent of the Lodge nearest his residence."

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. We, your Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred, upon recommendation of the Committee on Legislation, recommendation No. 5, of the Grand Master, as found on page 97 of his report, beg leave to say that we have carefully considered the same and find that if adopted it would involve amendments to the Subordinate and Grand Lodge Constitutions.

We further find that Section 450 of the Code provides: "Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments shall have power to provide for the appointment of District Deputies by the Grand Master or Grand Patriarch, prescribe their qualifications and define their duties subject to the laws of The Sovereign Grand Lodge."

It would appear, therefore, that the office of District Deputy Grand Master is strictly an appointive office and may not even by legislation be made elective. We, therefore, ask that we be relieved from further consideration of the subject matter.

In this connection we report that at a conference between the chairmen of the respective committees it is found the two committees, to-wit the Judiciary and Legislation, are at harmony on the above report and the Legislative Committee will file with the Grand Secretary the amendment reported to lay over until the coming Grand Lodge, for action under the Constitution touching the matter of amendments.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 7. We, your Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the following question, to wit: "Can a member of a Subordinate Lodge who is in arrears for dues be counted when a two-thirds vote is being taken, and can he be recognized?" beg leave to report that we have carefully considered this question and our answer is, if he is less than three months in arrears he may vote and be recognized, but if three months or more in arrears he is not entitled to participate in any Lodge business whatever, except such as relates to the payment of his indebtedness. See Section 58, Subordinate Constitution.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

On motion the Grand Lodge adjourned until 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session

The Grand Lodge convened at 2:30 p. m. The Grand Marshal and Grand Conductor examined the members present and reported all entitled to seats in the Grand Lodge. By direction of the Grand Master the Deputy Grand Master declared the Grand Lodge open for the transaction of business. On motion the roll call was dispensed with. The Grand Secretary announced a quorum present.

Judiciary

Report of Committee

The Judiciary Committee presented the following report, which was not adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 8. We, your Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the following question as propounded by Past Grand Master Church, to-wit: "Can a brother be tried and acquitted in his Subordinate Lodge, and later on appeal be subsequently convicted," beg leave to report that the committee has given this matter the most careful consideration and the committee have unanimously decided that the Subordinate Lodge is the proper tribunal for the trial of all such matters and it is the judgment of the committee that if the brother be acquitted by his Subordinate Lodge he cannot be convicted on appeal.

The organic law of the land, both in the constitutions and statutes and in common law procedure, is settled that when a man is once put in jeopardy and has been acquitted or convicted he cannot again be tried in any tribunal on appeal or otherwise and be convicted where he had hitherto been acquitted by proper tribunal. This is the organic, constitutional and statute law of Iowa, as well as the law of The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

On motion of Representative W. H. Winegar the Grand Inside Reporter was allowed the same per diem as a representative, and in addition thereto any sum that he may have been compelled to expend by virtue of hiring a reporter to do his work while in attendance upon this session.

The Trustees of the Homes were presented and each addressed the Grand Lodge.

On motion the Grand Master appointed Representatives John Weir, Homer Kellogg and Deputy Grand Master John R. Price as a special committee to draft a resolution with reference to Sister Alta Striker.

I. L. Newman, Representative from District No. 57, presented the following resolution which was referred to the Finance Committee:

Resolution

Be it resolved by this Grand Lodge that the following be adopted as a standing resolution of this Grand Body:

Each Representative-elect is requested to visit the I. O. O. F. Homes at Mason City, Iowa, at such period of time as he may elect, between the notification of his election and the next succeeding session of the Grand Lodge. That in order to encourage him to make such visitation he shall be allowed and paid out of the funds of the Grand Lodge one day's per diem in the sum of \$4.00, and seven cents per mile, one way, for the most direct route of travel from his home. All bills hereunder shall be referred to the Finance Committee and shall bear the approval of the Superintendent or Matron of the Homes.

Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner presented the following

resolution which was adopted and referred to a committee consisting of Past Grand Masters H. F. Wagner and D. B. Gunn:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

Be it resolved by this Grand Lodge that a special committee of two be appointed by the Grand Master to investigate as to whether or not there is any conflict in the provisions of our Constitution with reference to trial procedure and the code of general laws with reference thereto, and if a conflict is found to exist to offer such amendment or amendments to the Constitution to make the same conform to the code and present the same in time for action thereon at the next session of this Grand Lodge.

Finance

Reports of Committee

The Committee on Finance presented the following twenty-seven reports which were severally adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 1. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Secretary's report regarding price list, found on page 152 of said report, would recommend that the price list hereto attached be adopted to go into effect January 1, 1921.

Fraternally submitted,

F. P. Marvin,
F. L. Albaugh,
Geo. O. Free,

M.-A. Gettis,
G. R. Ahrens,
Committee.

(See page 363 for price list.)

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 2. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report found on page 71, entitled "Relief Granted," beg leave to report that we have carefully considered the same and recommend that his action be approved.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 3. We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the continuation certificate on the bond of L. W. Smith, Grand Secretary, is-

sued by the Globe Indemnity Company of New York, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, and the continuation certificate on the bond of A. E. Hindorff, Grand Treasurer, issued by the American Surety Company of New York for the sum of sixty thousand dollars, and that said bonds be approved and placed in the hands of the incoming Grand Master.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 4. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Secretary's report relating to "Journal of Proceedings," found on page 107, would report that we have carefully considered the same and recommend that 3,000 copies of the Journal of this session be printed, 1,000 bound in cloth and 2,000 in paper.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 5. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Grand Treasurer's report, have carefully audited and checked the books of the Grand Treasurer and find the report correct as printed.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 6. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that the appointive officers who have been called here to be installed be allowed mileage and one day's per diem.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 7. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that the photograph of the retiring Grand Master be published on the first page of the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge and a group photograph of the Grand Officers in the body of the book, and such other photographs as may be necessary for memorial services.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 8. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Secretary's report on pages 123 to 140, inclu-

sive, relating to "Funds," report that we have examined the books of the Grand Secretary, and find the same correct, and find the statement of said funds as printed in his report correct.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 9. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that a per capita tax of thirty cents be levied for current expenses of the Grand Lodge for the ensuing year, fifteen cents payable January 1st, 1921, and fifteen cents payable July 1st, 1921.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 10. We, your Committee on Finance, respectfully submit the following list of estimated expenses for the ensuing year:

Mileage and Per Diem	\$5,000.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Supplies and Rep. Tax	3,000.00
Grand Master's salary	2,000.00
Grand Master for expense account	2,500.00
Grand Secretary's salary	2,100.00
Assistant Grand Secretary's salary	1,800.00
Stenographer for Grand Secretary, salary	1,320.00
Grand Treasurer's salary	200.00
Office rent for Grand Secretary	900.00
Telephone for Grand Secretary's office	100.00
Postage for Grand Secretary's office	500.00
Express for sending and receiving supplies	75.00
Printing Grand Lodge Journals	3,000.00
Printing for Grand Lodge	600.00
Supplies for sale	1,000.00
Grand Secretary's office expense	200.00
Miscellaneous	800.00
Iowa Odd Fellow to Subordinate Lodges	700.00

Resolved, That the sum of \$25,795.00 or as much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment of the current expenses of the Grand Lodge for the ensuing year, to the extent and for the purposes above stated, and the Grand Secretary is hereby authorized to draw warrants on the Grand Treasurer therefor at such times and in such amounts as may be necessary, not to exceed the sum appropriated for the several purposes named herein.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 11. We, your Committee on Finance, having been informed that Grand Master F. F. Rodgers has incurred an expense of \$408.91, in excess of the amount appropriated, and in view of the fact that he has given this Grand Jurisdiction a most efficient and prosperous administration, and as we believe we have received in increased membership and good to the Order ample returns for the money so expended, would therefore recommend that he be reimbursed in the above amount.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 12. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's report relating to typewriter, respectfully recommend that the typewriter used in his office during his administration be presented to Grand Master F. F. Rodgers as an expression of our appreciation of his faithful, prompt and efficient service in taking care of the correspondence of his office.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 13. We, your Committee on Finance, recommend that the expense account of the Grand Master be fixed at \$2,500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and that this amount be not exceeded or overdrawn except on the approval of the Finance Committee, or its Chairman, and in cases only of extreme emergency.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 14. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that the Trustees of the Homes be instructed to have weather strips on each of the windows and doors in the Homes.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 15. We, your Committee on Finance, recommend an appropriation of \$65,000 dollars and such additional sums as may be received for the care of residents, sale of stock, grain and other products from the farm, receipts from meals, and from the Rebekah Assembly for maintenance and improvements for the ensuing year, including paving

and building of barn, and all receipts as above stated be remitted to the Grand Secretary and credited to the maintenance of Homes appropriation.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 16. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that the amount carried in the Bank by the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees be increased to \$6,000.00, \$5,000.00 as carried at the present time not being sufficient to meet monthly expenses and to take the discounts offered for prompt payment, and the Grand Secretary is hereby instructed to increase said deposit as provided by this resolution.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 17. We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the bill of Brother E. W. Cutting, Trustee, and recommend that he be paid \$286.63 for services as Trustee in full, and the Trustees are hereby authorized to draw an order on the Home fund for the above amount.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 18. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred pages 157 to 160, both inclusive, of the report of the Trustees, report that we have carefully checked each of these items in detail, and find the accounts to be correct as printed except that check No. 608 was not presented for payment.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 19. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that it is the sense of this Grand Lodge that when the Trustees of the Homes meet in business session at the Homes that they be entertained at the Homes free of expense to them.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 20. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that the Trustees of the Homes be required to create and maintain a fund of \$150.00 in the hands of the Superintendent of the Homes to meet incidental expenses.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 21. We, your Committee on Finance, hereby recommend that the Grand Secretary be authorized to purchase a rug and chairs for the reception room of his office, also such chairs for the office as he needs to put his office in good condition, and to draw warrants for the payment of the same.

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 22. We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the following bills and recommend that the same be allowed and ordered paid out of the General Fund of the Grand Lodge:

Willcox-Howell-Hopkins & Murdock, premium on bond of Grand Secretary	\$ 25.00
American Surety Company, premium on bond of Grand Treasurer	150.00
Lutz & Stahl, Printing 700 Memorial programs.....	13.60
Collier Stationery Company, rental of two typewriters.....	5.00
L. W. Smith, 4,000 identification certificates and 900 circular letters	14.20
Geo. S. Merriam, expense on trunk for Grand Master.....	12.34
F. F. Rodgers, expense counting ballots, Grand Lodge election..	18.44
Hotel Iowa, Expense, Grand Sire.....	21.65
Harley Barnes, printing Grand Master's Supplemental Report..	34.80
Wm. C. Kummer, expense of Memorial service, and janitor....	59.70

Fraternally submitted,
Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 23. We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the following bills incurred by special committee for building a Boys' Dormi-

tory and recommend that same be allowed and ordered paid out of the building fund:

Western Electric Telephone System-----	\$ 22.45
H. C. Ring, trip to Mason City-----	15.00
American Contractor Publishing Company-----	5.50
The Mason City Globe Gazette-----	34.50
The Republican Printing Company-----	1.50
The Improvement Bulletin -----	4.40
The Register and Tribune Company-----	3.60
A. W. Stubbs, telephone, rent of typewriter, and printing-----	9.52
Western Union Telegraph Company-----	.71
Western Contractor -----	4.20
The L. R. Shepherd Publishing Company-----	2.30

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 24. We, your Finance Committee, have examined the bill of J. H. Felt & Co., architects, for drawing plans and specifications, etc., for the proposed Boys' Dormitory at the Homes in Mason City, in the amount of \$3,637.86, and after considering the report of the special committee appointed to pass on the legality of this claim would recommend that said bill be allowed and an order drawn for the amount out of the Building Fund, and that said plans and specifications become the property of this Grand Lodge, same to be placed in the hands of the Grand Secretary and further, that the Special Building Committee be hereby discharged.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 25. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that Deputy Grand Master J. R. Price be allowed \$25.00 for counting the votes for representatives. And further that Dwight F. Davis be allowed \$30.00 as extra compensation and expense, as Chairman of the Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.

Also, that A. C. Curtis be allowed one day's per diem and mileage from Stuart to Des Moines for attending the meeting of the Finance Committee, and that the Grand Secretary be authorized to draw warrants for same on the General Fund.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 26. We, your Committee on Finance, would recommend that a per capita tax of one dollar be levied for the Home maintenance and improvement appropriation; fifty cents payable January 1, 1921, and fifty cents payable July 1, 1921.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

No. 27. We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the resolution presented by a representative from District No. 57, in regard to representatives-elect being requested to visit the I. O. O. F. Homes at Mason City, at the expense of the Grand Lodge, would recommend that said resolution be not adopted.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

The following resolution was presented and adopted:

STANDING RESOLUTION:

Be It Resolved, That whenever any buildings be hereafter sold by the Grand Lodge, or by any Subordinate Lodge that any emblem of the Order be first removed therefrom wherever possible.

Fraternally submitted,

A. D. Crawford,

Rep. District No. 7.

Board of Instruction

Report of Committee

The Board of Instruction presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

The members of the Board of Instruction herewith submit their report of the work done during the year 1919-1920. It has been apparent to the members of the Board that there has been a somewhat greater interest than usual taken by the members in the Unwritten Work. This is probably due, in a considerable measure, to the persistent presentation of the subject by the Grand Master as well as by the co-operation of many representatives, District Deputy Grand Masters and others.

We have been conscious of this increased interest and have sought to foster the same by our own devotion to the work. Each member of the Board has responded to every call made upon him by the different Lodges and has always been ready to assist and encourage in committing the Unwritten work to memory.

All in all it has been a good year and we are glad to be able to report more than the usual number of brothers recommended for commissions to instruct in the Unwritten Work.

Upon our recommendations the Grand Master has issued commissions to each of the brothers named by him in his report to this Grand Body.

A considerable number of brothers have appeared before the Board at this session for the purpose of instruction and upon final examination thirty-five brothers were recommended for commissions in addition to those recommended to the Grand Master prior to this session.

We wish to extend our thanks to the Grand Master for the honor conferred in appointing us as members of the Board of Instruction, and have sought to justify the confidence thereby expressed by the work we have done.

We further wish to extend our thanks to all Past Grand Masters, Grand Lodge officers, representatives, District Deputy Grand Masters, and all others who have assisted in any way in the work throughout the year.

Fraternally submitted,

W. W. Brunton,

R. H. Lambertson,

Norman D. Smith,

A. H. Estes,

W. L. Blosser,

Board of Instruction.

On motion of Representative J. K. Medberry a rising vote of thanks was extended to Grand Master Rodgers for his impartial manner in conducting the business of this Grand Lodge.

Special Committee

Report

The special committee appointed to draft resolutions pertaining to Sister Alta Striker presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa:

We, your committee appointed to draw up a resolution with reference to the Sister Striker matter, beg leave to report as follows:

That each member of your committee were representatives at the special session of the Grand Lodge held at Des Moines, in December, 1919, heard all the reading of the evidence produced by the special committee appointed at the last regular session of the Grand Lodge.

We were fully convinced that not any of the representatives at that special session after hearing the evidence, were of the opinion that Sister Alta Striker was guilty of any intentional or active wrong, but whatever, if any, delinquency on her part in the conduct of said Homes, was only oversight and neglect to some departments and branches of her duties.

We are fully convinced that every representative voting on said proposition at the special session of the Grand Lodge did so conscientiously, honestly and to the best of his judgment according to the evidence produced, and for the best interests of the Homes at Mason City, and for the welfare of Odd Fellowship in Iowa.

Your committee further states that individually we are of the opinion and know and feel that every Odd Fellow in Iowa knows that Sister Alta Striker is a woman of noble character, unquestioned integrity and sterling worth, and that it be the sense of this Grand Lodge that we extend to her a vote of confidence in her honor, integrity and character, and that this Grand Body, and Odd Fellows of Iowa have nothing but the kindest of feelings toward Sister Striker.

That this resolution be made a part of the Grand Lodge proceedings, and a copy be forwarded to Sister Striker.

Fraternally submitted,

John Weir,

H. H. Kellogg,

John R. Price,

Committee.

A collection amounting to \$38.25 was taken to purchase a marker for the grave of Brother Fred Christianer, and said amount was turned over to Past Grand Master W. S. Kight.

On motion of Deputy Grand Master John R. Price the following resolution was adopted and a copy ordered signed and sent to Brother S. A. Koch:

Be it the sense of this Grand Lodge of Iowa, that whereas at an extra session of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, held at Des Moines, Iowa, in December, 1919, this Grand Body requested Brother Sam Koch to tender to the said Grand Lodge his resignation as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Odd Fellows Old Folks and Orphans Home at Mason City, Iowa, and whereas such resignation was so tendered, and this Grand Body after due reflection thereon desire, in order to do justice to every Odd Fellow in this jurisdiction, now feel and say that they are convinced that Brother Sam Koch as Trustee of said Home at no time was guilty of any intentional wrong or proceeded maliciously in any manner touching the question on which his resignation was asked.

This Grand Body is also unquestionably of the opinion that Brother Sam Koch is a man of the highest character and sterling integrity and recognized honor, and this Grand Body has nothing but the kindest of feelings towards Brother Sam Koch as an Odd Fellow and believes that he merits every honor and preferment that he has received at the hands of this Grand Lodge, and we now extend to him a vote of confidence as an Odd Fellow, in his honor as an Odd Fellow, and in his integrity and in his character.

INSTALLATION

The Grand Master appointed Past Grand Master D. B. Gunn as Grand Marshal and the following elective and appointive officers were installed:

Grand Master—John R. Price, Albia.
Deputy Grand Master—Lynn J. Irwin, Logan.
Grand Warden—L. J. Neff, Walnut.
Grand Secretary—L. W. Smith, Des Moines.
Grand Treasurer—A. E. Hindorff, Newton.
Grand Marshal—J. P. Lambertson, Albia.
Grand Conductor—C. E. Behnke, Plymouth.
Grand Guardian—Geo. M. Beck, Logan.
Grand Herald—Joe Chapman, Washta.
Grand Messenger—James L. Moore, Cedar.
Grand Chaplain—B. W. Pettit, Albia.
Grand Inside Reporter—J. O. Eno, Indianola.
Grand Outside Reporter—C. E. MacCanon, Des Moines.

Immediately following the installation Brother Rodgers was presented with a Past Grand Master's jewel from Ames Lodge No. 309, and from his appointive officers the amount

necessary to purchase a jewel for the Grand Decoration of Chivalry.

Grand Master Price announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

Appeals—F. F. Rodgers, Ames; H. F. Wagner, Sigourney; Jack Asprey, Sioux City; Stymest Stevenson, Council Bluffs, and Guy M. Everett, Missouri Valley.

Finance—Harry Koepf, Burlington; J. L. Hicks, Fairfield; Harley Miller, Avery; Otto Windrath, Humboldt, and Geo. B. Johnson, Moravia.

Mileage and Per Diem—R. H. Lisetor, Udell, Chairman.

Credentials—Chas. C. Heninger, Sigourney, Chairman.

Judiciary—H. C. Ring, Cedar Rapids, Chairman.

Committee on Homes—J. S. Bellamy, Knoxville, Chairman.

Board of Instruction—Geo. S. Dunn, Sioux City; Thos. McMillen, Council Bluffs; W. L. Blosser, Moulton; Norman D. Smith, Cedar Rapids, and R. H. Lambertson, DeWitt, Iowa.

The Grand Master submitted his list of District Deputy Grand Masters, which, on motion, was approved and ordered printed without reading.

On motion of Past Grand Master H. C. Ring, the Grand Lodge adjourned sine die. The Grand Chaplain offered prayer. Then by order of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master declared the Grand Lodge closed.

The next session of the Grand Lodge will be held at Des Moines, Iowa, October 19, 20, 21, 1921.

In Friendship, Love and Truth,



Grand Secretary.

APPENDIX

Districts and District Deputy Grand Masters

No. 1—Adair County.
Fred Hendry, Bridgewater.

No. 250, Fontanelle	201
No. 271, Bridgewater	116
No. 348, Adair	55
No. 375, Greenfield	161
No. 518, Orient	46
Total	579

No. 2—Adams County.
O. R. Mitchell, Corning.

No. 108, Prescott	42
No. 206, Corning	177
No. 382, Mt. Etna	43
No. 675, Carl	22
Total	284

No. 3—Allamakee County.
A. J. Phillips, Postville.

No. 172, Rossville	35
No. 182, Waukon	78
No. 707, Postville	60
Total	173

No. 4—Appanoose County.
G. E. Lisetor, Centerville

No. 63, Plano	46
No. 76, Centerville	236
No. 297, Moulton	200
No. 485, Cincinnati	97
No. 497, Iconium	12
No. 510, Moravia	124
No. 555, Mystic	93
No. 665, Unionville	26
No. 672, Griffinsville	49
No. 713, Udell	44
No. 718, Dean	48
No. 726, Exline	116
Total	1091

No. 5—Audubon County
C. F. Garmire, Gray.

No. 161, Gray	41
No. 217, Brayton	48
No. 396, Audubon	100
Total	189

No. 6—Benton County.
H. Dickinson, Shellsburg.

No. 35, Keystone	81
No. 83, Vinton	149
No. 151, Belle Plaine	263
No. 171, Shellsburg	121
No. 244, Mt Auburn	74
No. 328, Urbana	47
No. 404, Norway	15
No. 655, Garrison	87
Total	837

No. 7—Black Hawk County.
R. W. Wilkinson, La Porte City

No. 72, Waterloo	466
No. 233, Cedar Falls	131
No. 526, Hudson	125
No. 705, La Porte City	111
No. 716, Waterloo	334
Total	1167

No. 8—Boone County.
L. H. Waldo, Boone.

No. 79, Boone	93
No. 230, Boxholm	37
No. 281, Odgen	159
No. 433, Madrid	134
No. 492, Boone	293
No. 563, Pilot Mound	95
No. 677, Luther	75
Total	886

No. 9—Bremer County.
A. R. Byram, Waverly.

No. 338, Summer	54
No. 585, Janesville	19
No. 628, Waverly	89
Total	162

No. 10—Buchanan County.
Andrew J. Dunlap, Independence

No. 142, Independence	244
No. 158, Jesup	32
No. 163, Brandon	66
No. 550, Winthrop	129
No. 656, Lamont	56
Total	527

No. 11—Buena Vista County.
H. C. Jones, Marathon.

No. 221, Storm Lake	177
No. 232, Newell	158
No. 388, Alta	104
No. 574, Sioux Rapids	98
No. 690, Albert City	123
No. 708, Marathon	97
Total	757

No. 12—Butler County.
L. C. Bowen, Shell Rock.

No. 20, New Hartford	26
No. 52, Dumont	87
No. 270, Shell Rock	143
No. 318, Greene	109
No. 351, Clarksville	145
No. 436, Bristow	23
Total	533

No. 13—Calhoun County.
W. H. Albrecht, Pomeroy.

No. 180, Pomeroy	53
No. 330, Lake City	241
No. 390, Farnhamville	36
No. 469, Lohrville	128
No. 529, Rockwell City	202
No. 640, Somers	77
No. 642, Manson	68
Total	805

No. 14—Carroll County.
George Widman, Lanesboro.

No. 122, Manning	17
No. 279, Carroll	123
No. 291, Glidden	45
No. 296, Dedham	39
No. 459, Coon Rapids	37
No. 517, Lanesboro	49

Total 410

No. 15—Cass County.
D. F. Brooks, Wiota.

No. 80, Atlantic	161
No. 140, Lewis	186
No. 262, Anita	181
No. 346, Wiota	61
No. 366, Marne	22
No. 409, Griswold	155
No. 489, Massena	89
No. 542, Cumberland	159

Total 1014

No. 16—Cedar County.
James Douglass, West Branch.

No. 8, Tipton	183
No. 166, Mechanicsville	71
No. 680, West Branch	49

Total 303

No. 17—Cerro Gordo County.
E. Lennon, Mason City.

No. 167, Plymouth	113
No. 187, Clear Lake	257
No. 224, Mason City	532
No. 344, Rockwell	176
No. 593, Thornton	84
No. 638, Meservey	27

Total 1189

No. 18—Cherokee County.
A. M. Cogle, Cleghorn.

No. 188, Cherokee	149
No. 284, Washta	114
No. 359, Marcus	77
No. 374, Meriden	42
No. 495, Aurelia	80
No. 524, Quimby	100
No. 624, Cleghorn	54
No. 720, Larrabee	68

Total 684

No. 19—Chickasaw County.

J. F. Scoles, Nashua.

No. 391, Nashua	140
No. 556, New Hampton	90
No. 658, Alta Vista	59
No. 661, Fredricksburg	123

Total -----412

No. 20—Clarke County.

H. E. Furrer, Osceola.

No. 95, Osceola	86
No. 118, Lacelle	38
No. 306, Hopeville	21
No. 487, Murray	70
No. 503, Woodburn	73

Total -----288

No. 21—Clay County.

No. 247, Spencer	202
No. 583, Dickens	61
No. 632, Rossie	23
No. 641, Everly	19
No. 687, Royal	64
No. 727, Greenville	44

Total -----413

No. 22—Clayton County.

L. L. Hines, Strawberry Point

No. 29, Granavillo	11
No. 75, Strawberry Pt.	63
No. 111, McGregor	102
No. 126, Guttenberg	39
No. 156, Monona	56
No. 194, Osterdock	46
No. 345, Elkport	29

Total -----346

No. 23—Clinton County.

A. J. Myer, Lyons

No. 42, Clinton	142
No. 61, Lyons	214
No. 86, DeWitt	65
No. 150, Clinton	146
No. 162, Teeds Grove	47
No. 395, Low Moor	27
No. 448, Grand Mound	81
No. 567, Clinton	290
No. 618, Lost Nation	46
No. 715, Elwood	43

Total -----1101

No. 24—Crawford County.

G. M. Brake, Dow City.

No. 105, Charter Oak	55
No. 280, Dow City	122
No. 626, Denison	114
No. 696, Schleswig	76

Total -----367

No. 25—Dallas County.

A. H. Estes, Waukee.

No. 96, Adel	54
No. 135, Redfield	126
No. 215, Dexter	100
No. 248, Dallas Center	125
No. 257, Van Meter	38
No. 292, Booneville	65
No. 311, Waukee	50
No. 371, Dawson	40
No. 400, De Soto	37
No. 408, Perry	213
No. 428, Linden	106
No. 460, Woodward	199
No. 482, Bouton	47
No. 688, Minburn	120

Total -----1320

No. 26—Davis County.

E. R. Newland, Drakesville.

No. 23, Bloomfield	216
No. 27, Troy	84
No. 88, Drakesville	40
No. 239, West Grove	20
No. 272, Floris	38
No. 319, Pulaski	22
No. 668, Ash Grove	65
No. 729, Bunch	47

Total -----532

No. 27—Decatur County.

Archie Hennens, Decatur.

No. 84, Leon	149
No. 102, Decatur	107
No. 127, Lamoni	74
No. 212, Van Wert	69
No. 314, Davis City	86
No. 441, Weldon	49

Total -----534

No. 28—Delaware County.
W. R. Harford, Hopkington.

No. 46, Delhi	70
No. 50, Colesburg	89
No. 132, Earlville	37
No. 149, Manchester	175
No. 418, Greeley	102
No. 525, Hopkington	35
No. 587, Masonville	43

Total -----551

No. 29—Des Moines County.
J. E. Berry, Mediapolis.

No. 1, Burlington	130
No. 54, Burlington	292
No. 268, Burlington	148
No. 277, Kingston	43
No. 326, Sperry	45
No. 379, Mediapolis	84

Total -----742

No. 30—Dickinson County.
D. J. Flint, Lake Park.

No. 274, Spirit Lake	96
No. 491, Milford	32
No. 616, Lake Park	123
No. 674, Superior	131

Total -----382

No. 31—Dubuque County.
Earhart Hammerand, Dubuque.

No. 2, Dubuque	131
No. 12, Dubuque	109
No. 324, Epworth	43

Total -----283

No. 32—Emmet County.
Henry G. Kleen, Gruver.

No. 67, Gruver	84
No. 332, Ringsted	32
No. 423, Estherville	72
No. 635, Armstrong	42

Total -----230

No. 33.—Fayette County.
Frank Morrison, West Union.

No. 41, West Union	90
No. 60, Douglass	34
No. 138, Hawkeye	95
No. 177, Randalia	46
No. 290, Elgin	59
No. 294, Oelwein	251
No. 303, Waucoma	40
No. 334, Clermont	14
No. 411, Alpha	46
No. 514, Fayette	55
No. 549, Maynard	50
No. 598, Arlington	111
No. 723, Wadena	74

Total -----965

No. 34—Floyd County.
L. R. Finch, Charles City.

No. 165, Charles City	141
No. 200, Nora Springs	93
No. 362, Marble Rock	60
No. 474, Rockford	48

Total -----342

No. 35—Franklin County.
C. W. Wolf, Hampton.

No. 21, Chapin	47
No. 213, Geneva	55
No. 218, Hampton	136
No. 422, Sheffield	78
No. 536, Hansell	49

Total -----365

No. 36—Fremont County.
C. W. Stevens, Sidney.

No. 93, Sidney	141
No. 197, Hamburg	182
No. 258, Riverston	83
No. 420, Randolph	85

Total -----491

No. 37—Greene County.
C. A. Richards, Farlin.

No. 191, Farlin	71
No. 216, Dana	70
No. 308, Grand Junction	131
No. 315, Jefferson	260
No. 354, Churdan	97
No. 357, Scranton	149
No. 466, Rippey	134

Total -----912

No. 38—Grundy County.

J. C. Barker, Grundy Center.

No. 285, Grundy Center	63
No. 386, Reinbeck	184
No. 467, Beaman	47
No. 615, Dike	106

 Total -----400

No. 39—Guthrie County.

No. 113, Guthrie Center	108
No. 145, Panora	79
No. 214, Stuart	240
No. 256, Casey	106
No. 493, Bayard	63
No. 512, Bagley	108
No. 579, Jamaica	54
No. 697, Menlo	138

 Total -----896

No. 40—Hamilton County.

W. W. Stow, Webster City.

No. 62, Webster City	252
No. 222, Blairsburg	90
No. 452, Jewel	87
No. 522, Homer	58
No. 619, Ellsworth	80

 Total -----567

No. 41—Hancock County.

Wallace Pavey, Klemme.

No. 445, Klemme	36
No. 611, Britt	128
No. 631, Corwith	103
No. 663, Crystal Lake	41
No. 667, Kanawha	107
No. 692, Garner	103

 Total -----518

No. 42—Hardin County.

I. C. Bullis, R. F. D. No. 4,
Iowa Falls.

No. 77, Eldora	118
No. 100, Iowa Falls	176
No. 189, Ackley	18
No. 225, Union	126
No. 286, Alden	66
No. 454, Hubbard	85
No. 699, Buckeye	48

 Total -----637

No. 43—Harrison County.

Everett Logan, Logan.

No. 170, Missouri Valley	214
No. 178, Dunlap	228
No. 355, Logan	194
No. 389, Little Sioux	68
No. 392, Mondamin	80
No. 405, Woodbine	256
No. 457, Pisgah	90
No. 481, Persia	75
No. 573, Modale	103
No. 703, Magnolia	61

 Total -----1369

No. 44—Henry County.

F. L. Clawson, New London.

No. 10, Mt. Pleasant	309
No. 55, Mt. Pleasant	306
No. 56, New London	328
No. 154, Winfield	112
No. 347 Swedesburg	71
No. 373, Hillsboro	30

 Total -----1156

No. 45—Howard County.

C. C. Brown, Cresco.

No. 269, Cresco	170
No. 444, Chester	53

 Total -----223

No. 46—Humboldt County.

H. J. Sexe, Humboldt.

No. 394, Humboldt	149
No. 484, Renwick	97
No. 523, Bradgate	26
No. 595, Gilmore City	29

 Total -----301

No. 47—Ida County.

H. M. Walters, Galva.

No. 119, Battle Creek	173
No. 259, Ida Grove	121
No. 387, Galva	41

 Total -----335

No. 48—Iowa County.
Floyd W. Jay, Marengo.

No. 148, Marengo	178
No. 192, Victor	58
No. 325, North English	90
No. 364, Millersburg	65
No. 368, Williamsburg	135
No. 603, Foote	36
No. 622, Ladora	94
Total	656

No. 49—Jackson County.
Frank Reiter, Maquoketa.

No. 33, Maquoketa	235
No. 39, Sabula	118
No. 252, Preston	99
No. 339, Fulton	85
No. 341, Canton	11
No. 572, Miles	131
Total	656

No. 50—Jasper County.
H. H. Engleman, Kellogg.

No. 73, Newton	247
No. 144, Prairie City	167
No. 168, Monroe	81
No. 174, Mingo	94
No. 181, Kellogg	115
No. 322, Lynnvillle	84
No. 476, Colfax	236
Total	1024

No. 51—Jefferson County.
E. W. Hass, Lockridge

No. 4, Fairfield	166
No. 45, Glasgow	39
No. 120, Batavia	51
No. 173, Linby	61
No. 295, Libertyville	48
No. 317, Perlee	26
No. 427, Salina	17
No. 468, Abingdon	64
No. 629, Fairfield	175
Total	647

No. 52—Johnson County.
Samuel D. Whiting, Iowa City

No. 44, Iowa City	257
No. 289, North Liberty	25
No. 505, Oxford	49
No. 607, Frank Pierce	39
No. 610, Solon	31
No. 728, Lone Tree	113
Total	514

No. 53—Jones County.
E. N. Stoffel, Wyoming.

No. 40, Anamosa	132
No. 117, Monticello	51
No. 147, Wyoming	42
No. 398, Onslow	35
No. 711, Center Junction	22
Total	282

No. 54—Keokuk County.
W. C. McLin, Richland.

No. 32, Richland	132
No. 98, Sigourney	258
No. 153, Ollie	59
No. 159, Keota	171
No. 202, What Cheer	27
No. 263, South English	60
No. 333, Martinsburg	39
No. 353, Harper	18
No. 385, Delta	87
No. 414, Keswick	86
Total	937

No. 55—Kossuth County.
R. M. Hutchinson, Swea City.

No. 134, Wesley	82
No. 236, Algona	105
No. 500, Luverne	29
No. 544, Bancroft	24
No. 578, Burt	125
No. 613, Swea City	90
No. 649, Titonka	75
Total	530

No. 56—Lee County.

C. T. Shepherd, Weaver.

No. 13, Keokuk	167
No. 31, Ft. Madison	258
No. 43, Keokuk	116
No. 66, Montrose	33
No. 89, Charleston	19
No. 116, Keokuk	61
No. 462, Mt. Hamill	44
No. 552, Wever	84
No. 596, Croton	40

Total 822

No. 57—Linn County.

W. F. Dunlap, Springville.

No. 18, Marion	188
No. 51, Cedar Rapids	142
No. 71, Lisbon	54
No. 141, Cedar Rapids	202
No. 185, Center Point	50
No. 227, Springville	85
No. 235, Central City	98
No. 299, Troy Mills	56
No. 498, Walker	53
No. 520, Alburnett	19
No. 534, Bertram	21
No. 551, Mt. Vernon	162
No. 566, Coggon	57
No. 581, Ely	48
No. 643, Cedar Rapids	333
No. 722, Cedar Rapids	177

Total 1745

No. 58—Louisa County.

J. G. Waterhouse, Oakville.

No. 19, Wapello	151
No. 139, Oakville	107
No. 365, Columbus Jct.	307
No. 671, Letts	65
No. 693, Cotter	64
No. 724, Grandview	78

Total 772

No. 59—Lucas County.

R. O. Miller, Jr., Norwood.

No. 64, Chariton	236
No. 329, Derby	60
No. 337, Russell	113
No. 424, Lucas	14
No. 490, Norwood	71

Total 494

No. 60—Lyon County.

M. F. Stenzel, Rock Rapids.

No. 480, Rock Rapids	180
No. 513, Little Rock	21
No. 521, Inwood	64
No. 538, Alvord	85
No. 565, Lester	57

Total 407

No. 61—Madison County.

L. A. Conway, Macksburg.

No. 69, Patterson	52
No. 136, Winterset	127
No. 406, Macksburg	146
No. 416, St. Charles	52
No. 546, Earlham	96
No. 577, East Peru	47

Total 520

No. 62—Mahaska County.

Frank Davis, Fremont

No. 128, Oskaloosa	124
No. 175, Fremont	68
No. 231 New Sharon	52
No. 264, Beacon	28
No. 376, Rose Hill	83
No. 477, Givin	48
No. 501, Taintor	49
No. 589, Cedar	36
No. 602, Lakonta	48
No. 698, Barnes City	26
No. 714, Rose Hill	65

Total 627

No. 63—Marion County.

H. R. Kading, Knoxville

No. 78, Hamilton	44
No. 87, Pella	31
No. 90, Knoxville	331
No. 199, Durham	133
No. 307, Marysville	33
No. 446, Pleasantville	79
No. 478, Swan	116
No. 568, Tracy	123
No. 591, Bussey	23
No. 657, Attica	52
No. 660, Columbia	70
No. 725, Dallas	57
No. 730, Percy	18

Total 1,110

No. 64—Marshall County.

C. M. Gaunt, Marshalltown

No. 123, Marshalltown	332
No. 211, Marshalltown	36
No. 242, Liscomb	130
No. 260, State Center	32
No. 313, Albion	88
No. 316, Gilman	109
No. 488, Melbourne	68
No. 519, Rhodes	48
No. 527, Clemons	67
No. 652, Ferguson	58

Total ----- 968

No. 65—Mills County.

W. S. Lewis, Glenwood.

No. 97, Glenwood	401
No. 110, Pacific Jct.	63
No. 276, Malvern	64
No. 397, Hastings	86
No. 403, Silver City	70
No. 443, Henderson	39
No. 659, Strahan	26

Total ----- 749

No. 66—Mitchell County.

Victor Duryea, McIntire

No. 195, Osage	98
No. 600, McIntire	56
No. 639, Little Cedar	54

Total ----- 208

No. 67—Monona County.

W. H. Foster, Castana

No. 320, Castana	176
No. 380, Onawa	114
No. 399, Mapleton	157
No. 531, Whiting	151
No. 545, Blencoe	51
No. 580, Soldier	146
No. 586, Rodney	95

Total ----- 890

No. 68—Monroe County.

H. E. Bennett, Hiteman

No. 81, Albia	132
No. 438, Lovilia	39
No. 548, Hiteman	125
No. 634, Avery	129

Total ----- 425

No. 69—Montgomery County.

W. E. Zimmerman, Red Oak

No. 176, Red Oak	331
No. 219, Villisca	169
No. 456, Elliott	51

Total ----- 551

No. 70—Muscatine County.

C. M. Beach, West Liberty

No. 5, Muscatine	141
No. 107, Wilton Junction	52
No. 190, West Liberty	172
No. 664, Nichols	66

Total ----- 431

No. 71—O'Brien County.

H. O. Smith, Primghar

No. 367, Sheldon	83
No. 415, Sutherland	87
No. 434, Sanborn	52
No. 483, Paullina	79
No. 506, Primghar	96
No. 507, Hartley	100

Total ----- 487

No. 72—Osceola County.

Edgar Kness, Harris

No. 251, Sibley	82
No. 676, Harris	200

Total ----- 282

No. 73—Page County.

Wm. Creal, Northboro

No. 109, Clarinda	389
No. 228, Braddyville	42
No. 261, Shenandoah	273
No. 331, Yorktown	49
No. 429, Blanchard	37
No. 455, Coin	172
No. 701, Northboro	58

Total ----- 1,020

No. 74—Palo Alto County.

J. K. Pauly, West Bend

No. 253, Emmetsburg	78
No. 349, Curlew	27
No. 383, Ruthven	119
No. 504, West Bend	92
No. 569, Ayrshire	82
No. 623, Graettinger	66
No. 633, Cylinder	46

Total ----- 510

No. 75—Plymouth County.

H. L. Grubb, Kingsley

No. 204, Kingsley	68
No. 208, Merrill	182
No. 255, Le Mars	152
Total	402

No. 76—Pocahontas County.

Lew Hersom, Fonda

No. 94, Rolfe	118
No. 112, Pocahontas	139
No. 203, Fonda	106
No. 537, Havelock	147
No. 686, Plover	52
Total	562

No. 77—Polk County.

Ben B. Wilcox, 2560 Onawa
Des Moines.

J. N. Trunnell, Bondurant

No. 25, Des Moines	402
No. 65, Des Moines	184
No. 106, Des Moines	332
No. 243, Bondurant	121
No. 300, Polk City	98
No. 356, Des Moines	278
No. 363, Mitchellville	174
No. 479, Grimes	95
No. 576, Des Moines	566
No. 588, Des Moines	401
No. 604, Valley Junction	148
No. 608, Des Moines	134
No. 612, Des Moines	238
No. 627, Ankeny	294
No. 630, Des Moines	196
Total	3,661

Sub-Districts of No. 77.

No. 1	Nos. 25 and 608
No. 2	Nos. 106 and 630
No. 3	Nos. 65 and 588
No. 4	No. 576
No. 5	Nos. 356 and 612
No. 6	Nos. 243, 363 and 604
No. 7	Nos. 300, 479 and 627

No. 78—Pottawattamie County.

Geo. R. Warner, Hancock

No. 49, Council Bluffs	359
No. 209, Honey Creek	85
No. 220, Avoca	89
No. 327, Walnut	58
No. 410, Neola	52
No. 421, Macedonia	112
No. 439, Hancock	107
No. 442, Oakland	64
No. 575, Minden	96
No. 606, Council Bluffs	295
Total	1,317

No. 79—Poweshiek County.

C. C. Snyder, Malcolm

No. 74, Montezuma	225
No. 114, Brooklyn	194
No. 335, Searsboro	76
No. 358, Grinnell	169
No. 369, Malcom	102
No. 417, Hartwick	20
No. 654, Sheridan Center	35
Total	821

No. 80—Ringgold County.

J. A. Logan, Mount Ayr

No. 15, Tingley	68
No. 53, Diagonal	45
No. 169, Mt. Ayr	172
No. 425, Kellerton	72
No. 431, Knowlton	39
No. 554, Ellston	72
No. 570, Benton	32
No. 621, Delphos	14
Total	821

No. 81—Sac County.

J. J. Spicer, Sac City, Iowa

No. 302, Lake View	80
No. 323, Sac City	258
No. 336, Lytton	132
No. 360, Wall Lake	26
No. 447, Odebolt	108
No. 475, Early	58
No. 540, Auburn	54
No. 609, Schaller	33
Total	749

No. 82—Scott County.

Verne Shaffer, Davenport

No. 7, Davenport	224
No. 37, Davenport	369
No. 38, Le Claire	69
No. 234, Princeton	76
No. 719, Long Grove	66

 Total 804

No. 83—Shelby County.

Walter N. Liebert, Harlan

No. 267, Harlan	198
No. 401, Shelby	109

 Total 307

No. 84—Sioux County.

Chas. A. Beckman, Hull

No. 196, Hawarden	159
No. 449, Hull	53
No. 496, Rock Valley	48
No. 502, Ireton	80

 Total 340

No. 85—Story County.

Wm. King, Collins

No. 104, Nevada	116
No. 133, Ontario	28
No. 249, Kelley	59
No. 309, Ames	253
No. 361, Collins	72
No. 384, Slater	83
No. 463, Maxwell	111
No. 486, Cambridge	70
No. 644, Zeiring	62
No. 645, Gilbert	91
No. 651, Colo	60
No. 679, Story City	21

 Total 1,026

No. 86—Tama County.

O. B. Congdon, Traer.

No. 152, Tama	171
No. 160, Chelsea	38
No. 179, Toledo	245
No. 283, Elberon	76
No. 301, Traer	90
No. 437, Garwin	43
No. 471, Gladbrook	73
No. 650, Dysart	31

 Total 767

No. 87—Taylor County.

R. F. Greenlee, Bedford

No. 91, Bedford	221
No. 273, Blockton	51
No. 407, Lenox	37
No. 553, Conway	65
No. 582, New Market	221
No. 605, Guss	58
No. 662, Athelstan	63

 Total 716

No. 88—Union County.

Frank Carter, Afton

No. 130, Afton	205
No. 207, Creston	277
No. 237, Cromwell	41
No. 240, Thayer	22
No. 558, Lorimor	12
No. 559, Shannon City	83
No. 666, Kent	94

 Total 734

No. 89—Van Buren County.

Walker Johnston, Stockport

No. 3, Keosauqua	138
No. 17, Farmington	116
No. 22, Bonaparte	40
No. 36, Birmingham	55
No. 155, Milton	113
No. 223, Stockport	54
No. 238, Bentonsport	29
No. 288, Cantril	89
No. 350, Selma	59
No. 381, Douds Leando	45
No. 426, Mt. Sterling	53

 Total 791

No. 90—Wapello County.

W. W. Watson, Ottumwa

No. 9, Ottumwa	212
No. 24, Agency	44
No. 26, Eddyville	94
No. 28, Eldon	93
No. 47, Kirkville	68
No. 115, Chillicothe	35
No. 129, Ottumwa	141
No. 198, Bladensburg	31
No. 278, Highland Center	48
No. 584, Blakesburg	97

 Total 863

No. 91—Warren County.

S. J. Trueblood, Indianola

No. 70, Indianola	231
No. 131, Carlisle	66
No. 146, Palmyra	47
No. 287, Liberty Center	61
No. 298, Sandyville	34
No. 377, Norwalk	23
No. 413, Milo	73
No. 435, Spring Hill	60
No. 530, Lacona	79
No. 564, New Virginia	26
No. 597, Hartford	33
No. 681, Medora	22

Total 755

No. 92—Washington County.

Wm. Mengershausen, Wellman

No. 92, Wellman	105
No. 101, Washington	221
No. 201, Crawfordsville	24
No. 205, Brighton	81
No. 245, Riverside	72
No. 508, Kalona	29

Total 532

No. 93—Wayne County.

W. F. Leech, Humeston

No. 103, Corydon	85
No. 121, Humeston	132
No. 125, Confidence	38
No. 193, Millerton	55
No. 210, Lineville	99
No. 310, Allerton	70
No. 352, Seymour	130
No. 453, Sewal	39
No. 614, Clio	25
No. 670, Cambria	91

Total 764

No. 94—Webster County.

John A. Forbes, Fort Dodge

No. 85, Ft. Dodge	173
No. 226, Kalo	62
No. 305, Lehigh	67
No. 402, Gowrie	16

Total 318

No. 95—Winnebago County.

Fred Alvey, Thompson

No. 342, Buffalo Center	28
No. 412, Lake Mills	126
No. 440, Forest City	117
No. 592, Thompson	55

Total 326

No. 96—Winneshiek County.

J. C. Moran, Prosper, Minn.

No. 58, Decorah	155
No. 143, Burr Oak	107

Total 262

No. 97—Woodbury County.

J. G. Shoemaker, Bronson

*No. 157, Hornick	77
*No. 164, Sioux City	235
*No. 282, Sioux City	227
†No. 343, Oto	79
*No. 372, Luton	59
*No. 465, Sloan	45
†No. 470, Correctionville	134
†No. 509, Merville	58
*No. 533, Sioux City	131
†No. 547, Cushing	82
†No. 557, Anthon	142
†No. 625, Pierson	124
*No. 684, Sioux City	295
*No. 689, Salix	80
*No. 709, Bronson	116
*No. 710, Holly Springs	49
*No. 717, Lawton	83

Total 2,016

Sub-Districts of No. 97.

No. 1—Nos. 157, 164, 282, 372, 465, 533, 684, 689, 709, 710 and 717.

No. 2—Nos. 343, 470, 509, 547, 557 and 625.

No. 98.—Worth County.

Wm. Anderson, Manly

No. 378, Northwood	75
No. 561, Manly	121

Total 196

No. 99—Wright County.

Art Rice, Eagle Grove

No. 68, Eagle Grove	222
No. 124, Clarion	195
No. 265, Belmond	124
No. 266, Woolstock	120
No. 450, Dows	68
No. 511, Goldfield	96
No. 543, Galt	65

Total 890

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF SUBORDINATE LODGES

Alphabetical list of towns in which lodges are located in the jurisdiction of Iowa, with night of meeting, number of members (June 30th, 1920), district, etc.

For lodges by number see pages 128 to 138, inclusive.

NAME	NO.	LOCATION	COUNTY	MEETING NIGHT	DIST.	MEM.
Abingdon.....	468	Abingdon.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday	51	64
Ackley.....	189	Ackley.....	Hardin.....	Saturday	42	18
Summit.....	348	Adair.....	Adair.....	Wednesday....	1	55
Friendship.....	96	Adel.....	Dallas.....	Monday	25	54
Afton.....	130	Afton.....	Union.....	Saturday	88	205
Magnolia.....	24	Agency.....	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	44
Albert City....	690	Albert City....	Buena Vista ...	Thursday	11	123
Monroe.....	81	Albia.....	Monroe.....	Tuesday.....	68	132
Albion.....	313	Albion.....	Marshall.....	Thursday.....	64	88
Trentham	520	Alburnett.....	Linn.....	Tuesday.....	57	19
Alden.....	286	Alden.....	Hardin.....	Thursday.....	42	66
Algona.....	236	Algona.....	Kossuth.....	Monday.....	55	105
Allerton.....	310	Allerton.....	Wayne.....	Wednesday....	93	70
Alpha.....	411	Alpha.....	Fayette.....	Wednesday....	33	46
Alta.....	388	Alta.....	Buena Vista	Tuesday.....	11	104
Alta Vista	658	Alta Vista.....	Chickasaw.....	Thursday	19	59
Alvord.....	538	Alvord.....	Lyon.....	Monday	60	85
Ames	309	Ames.....	Story.....	Tuesday.	85	253
Anamosa.....	40	Anamosa.....	Jones.....	Friday	53	132
Anita.....	262	Anita.....	Cass.....	Thursday.. ...	15	181
Ankeny Star...	627	Ankeny.....	Polk.....	Wednesday....	77	294
Anthon.....	557	Anthon.....	Woodbury.....	Saturday.....	97	142
Golden Rod ...	598	Arlington.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	33	111
Armstrong.....	635	Armstrong.....	Emmet.....	Monday	32	42
Ash Grove.....	668	Ash Grove.....	Davis.....	Tuesday	26	65
Athelstan.....	662	Athelstan.....	Taylor.....	Saturday.....	87	63
Atlantic.....	80	Atlantic.....	Cass.....	Tuesday.....	15	161
Attica.....	657	Attica.....	Marion.....	Monday.....	63	52
Auburn.....	540	Auburn.....	Sac.....	Wednesday....	81	54
Aretas.....	396	Audubon.....	Audubon.....	Monday.....	5	100
Maple	495	Aurelia.....	Cherokee.....	Monday.....	18	80
Avery.....	634	Avery.....	Monroe.....	Thursday.....	68	129
Avoca.....	220	Avoca.....	Pottawattamie.	Thursday.....	78	89
Ayrshire.....	569	Ayrshire.....	Palo Alto.....	Tuesday.....	74	82
Bagley.....	512	Bagley.....	Guthrie.....	Friday.....	39	108
Bancroft.....	544	Bancroft.....	Kossuth.....	Tuesday	55	24
Barnes City...	698	Barnes City...	Mahaska.....	Friday.....	62	26

ALPHABETICAL LIST—*Continued*

Ohio.....	120	Batavia.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday.....	51	51
Echo.....	119	Battle Creek...	Ida.....	Wednesday....	47	173
Bayard.....	493	Bayard.....	Guthrie.....	Tuesday.....	39	63
Beacon.....	264	Beacon.....	Mahaska.....	Friday.....	62	28
Grundy.....	467	Beaman.....	Grundy.....	Monday.....	38	47
Bedford.....	91	Bedford.....	Taylor.....	Friday.....	87	221
Belle Plaine...	151	Belle Plaine....	Benton.....	Thursday.....	6	263
Belmond.....	265	Belmond.....	Wright.....	Tuesday.....	99	124
Ringgold.....	570	Benton.....	Ringgold.....	Saturday.....	80	32
D. M. Valley...	238	Bentonsport ..	Van Buren...	Saturday.....	89	29
Bertram.....	534	Bertram.....	Linn.....	Saturday.....	57	21
Birmingham...	36	Birmingham...	Van Buren....	Tuesday.....	89	55
Farmers.....	198	Bladensburg...	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	31
Silver Leaf....	222	Blairsburg.....	Hamilton.....	Monday.....	40	90
Benedict.....	584	Blakesburg....	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	97
State Line....	429	Blanchard.....	Page.....	Friday.....	73	37
Blencoe.....	545	Blencoe.....	Monona.....	Tuesday.....	67	51
Pleasant Val'y.	273	Blockton.....	Taylor.....	Saturday.....	87	51
Bloomfield....	23	Bloomfield.....	Davis.....	Monday.....	26	216
Bonaparte.....	22	Bonaparte.....	Van Buren....	Friday.....	89	40
Bondurant....	243	Bondurant.....	Polk.....	Saturday.....	77	121
Boonsboro.....	79	Boone.....	Boone.....	Tuesday.....	8	93
Con. Link.....	492	Boone.....	Boone.....	Monday.....	8	293
Forest.....	292	Booneville....	Dallas.....	Thursday.....	25	65
Bouton.....	482	Bouton.....	Dallas.....	Tuesday.....	25	47
Boxholm.....	230	Boxholm.....	Boone.....	Tuesday.....	8	37
College Spgs...	228	Braddyville....	Page.....	Saturday.....	73	42
Bradgate.....	523	Bradgate.....	Humboldt....	Tuesday.....	46	26
Brandon.....	163	Brandon.....	Buchanan....	Thursday.....	10	66
Audubon.....	217	Brayton.....	Audubon.....	Monday.....	5	48
Bridgewater...	271	Bridgewater...	Adair.....	Tuesday.....	1	116
Green Mountain	205	Brighton.....	Washington...	Wednesday....	92	81
Garfield.....	436	Bristow.....	Butler.....	Saturday.....	12	23
Protection....	611	Britt.....	Hancock.....	Friday.....	41	128
Bronson.....	709	Bronson.....	Woodbury....	Thursday.....	97	116
Brooklyn.....	114	Brooklyn.....	Poweshiek....	Saturday.....	79	194
Buckeye.....	699	Buckeye.....	Hardin.....	Tuesday.....	42	48
Buffalo.....	342	Buffalo Center.	Winnebago....	Thursday.....	95	28
Evans.....	729	Bunch.....	Davis.....	Friday.....	26	47
Excelsior.....	268	Burlington....	Des Moines....	Monday.....	29	148
Harold.....	54	Burlington....	Des Moines....	Wednesday....	29	292
Washington...	1	Burlington....	Des Moines....	Tuesday.....	29	130
Burr Oak.....	143	Burr Oak.....	Winneshek....	Saturday.....	96	107
Burt.....	578	Burt.....	Kossuth.....	Tuesday.....	55	125
Bussey.....	591	Bussey.....	Marion.....	Friday.....	63	23
Cambria.....	670	Cambria.....	Wayne.....	Thursday.....	93	91
Story.....	486	Cambridge....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	70
Clay Mills....	341	Canton.....	Jackson.....	Saturday.....	49	11
Prairie Gem...	288	Cantril.....	Van Buren....	Saturday.....	89	89
Carl.....	675	Carl.....	Adams.....	Saturday.....	2	22
Carlisle.....	131	Carlisle.....	Warren.....	Saturday.....	91	66
Carroll.....	276	Carroll.....	Carroll.....	Tuesday.....	14	123
Casey.....	259	Casey.....	Guthrie.....	Thursday.....	39	106

ALPHABETICAL LIST—*Continued*

Castana.....	320	Castana.....	Monona.....	Monday.....	67	176
Oakdale.....	589	Cedar.....	Mahaska.....	Wednesday....	62	36
Cedar Valley..	233	Cedar Falls....	Black Hawk...	Monday.....	7	131
Cedar Rapids..	141	Cedar Rapids..	Linn.....	Friday.....	57	202
Jan Hus.....	51	Cedar Rapids..	Linn.....	Wednesday....	57	142
Kingston.....	722	Cedar Rapids..	Linn.....	Tuesday.....	57	177
Maine.....	643	Cedar Rapids..	Linn.....	Friday.....	57	333
Center Junction	711	Center Junction	Jones.....	Thursday.....	53	22
Center Point..	185	Center Point...	Linn.....	Wednesday....	57	50
Centerville....	76	Centerville....	Appanoose....	Tuesday.....	4	236
Wapsie.....	235	Central City..	Linn.....	Saturday.....	57	98
Chapin.....	21	Chapin.....	Franklin.....	Thursday.....	35	47
Chariton.....	64	Chariton.....	Lucas.....	Tuesday.....	59	236
National.....	165	Charles City...	Floyd.....	Friday.....	34	141
Charleston....	89	Charleston....	Lee.....	Saturday.....	56	19
Charter Oak...	105	Charter Oak...	Crawford.....	Thursday.....	24	55
Chelsea.....	160	Chelsea.....	Tama.....	Friday.....	86	38
Cherokee.....	188	Cherokee.....	Cherokee.....	Tuesday.....	18	149
Chester.....	444	Chester.....	Howard.....	Monday.....	45	53
Chillicothe....	115	Chillicothe....	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	35
Ariel.....	354	Churdan.....	Greene.....	Monday.....	37	97
Cincinnati....	485	Cincinnati....	Appanoose....	Friday.....	4	97
Clarinda.....	109	Clarinda.....	Page.....	Friday.....	73	389
Clarion.....	124	Clarion.....	Wright.....	Monday.....	99	195
Clarksville....	351	Clarksville....	Butler.....	Wednesday....	12	145
Clear Lake....	187	Clear Lake....	Cerro Gordo...	Monday.....	17	257
Cleghorn.....	624	Cleghorn.....	Cherokee.....	Thursday.....	18	54
Minerva.....	527	Clemons.....	Marshall.....	Thursday.....	64	67
Clermont.....	334	Clermont.....	Fayette.....	Tuesday.....	33	14
Tontia.....	614	Clio.....	Wayne.....	Friday.....	93	25
America.....	567	Clinton.....	Clinton.....	Thursday.....	23	290
Lincoln.....	42	Clinton.....	Clinton.....	Tuesday.....	23	142
Walhalla.....	150	Clinton.....	Clinton.....	Wednesday....	23	146
Coggon.....	566	Coggon.....	Linn.....	Thursday.....	57	57
Coin.....	455	Coin.....	Page.....	Wednesday....	73	172
Colony.....	50	Colesburg....	Delaware.....	Saturday.....	28	89
Colfax.....	476	Colfax.....	Jasper.....	Tuesday.....	50	236
Amity.....	361	Collins.....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	72
Colo.....	651	Colo.....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	60
Marion.....	660	Columbia....	Marion.....	Saturday.....	63	70
Columbus Jet..	365	Columbus Jet..	Louisa.....	Tuesday.....	58	307
Confidence....	125	Confidence....	Wayne.....	Saturday.....	93	38
Conway.....	553	Conway.....	Taylor.....	Wednesday....	87	65
Coon Rapids..	459	Coon Rapids..	Carroll.....	Tuesday.....	14	37
Nodaway.....	206	Corning.....	Adams.....	Tuesday.....	2	177
Sioux Valley...	470	Correctionville..	Woodbury....	Tuesday.....	97	134
Corwith.....	631	Corwith.....	Hancock.....	Monday.....	41	103
Corydon.....	103	Corydon.....	Wayne.....	Tuesday.....	93	85
Cotter.....	693	Cotter.....	Louisa.....	Wednesday....	58	64
Council Bluffs.	49	Council Bluffs.	Pottawattamie.	Thursday.....	78	359
Park City.....	606	Council Bluff..	Pottawattamie.	Tuesday.....	78	295
Crawfordsville.	201	Crawfordsville.	Washington....	Monday.....	92	24
Cresco.....	269	Cresco.....	Howard.....	Monday.....	45	170

ALPHABETICAL LIST—*Continued*

Progress.....	207	Creston.....	Union.....	Thursday.....	88	277
Cromwell.....	237	Cromwell.....	Union.....	Wednesday....	88	41
Croton.....	596	Croton.....	Lee.....	Saturday.....	56	40
Crystal Lake..	663	Crystal Lake..	Hancock.....	Monday.....	41	41
Cumberland...	542	Cumberland...	Cass.....	Saturday.....	15	159
Curlew.....	349	Curlew.....	Palo Alto.....	Monday.....	74	27
Cushing Valley.	547	Cushing.....	Woodbury.....	Monday.....	97	82
Freedom.....	633	Cylinder.....	Palo Alto.....	Thursday.....	74	46
Dallas.....	725	Dallas.....	Marion.....	Thursday.....	63	57
Dallas Center..	248	Dallas Center..	Dallas.....	Wednesday....	25	125
Dana.....	216	Dana.....	Greene.....	Tuesday.....	37	70
Davenport.....	7	Davenport.....	Scott.....	Tuesday.....	82	224
Scott.....	37	Davenport.....	Scott.....	Thursday.....	82	369
Davis City....	314	Davis City....	Decatur.....	Saturday.....	27	86
Dawson.....	371	Dawson.....	Dallas.....	Monday.....	25	40
Dean.....	718	Dean.....	Appanoose....	Wednesday....	4	48
Decatur.....	102	Decatur.....	Decatur.....	Saturday.....	27	107
Winneshiek....	58	Decorah.....	Winneshiek....	Tuesday.....	96	155
Newton.....	296	Dedham.....	Carroll.....	Wednesday....	14	39
Delhi.....	46	Delhi.....	Delaware.....	Saturday.....	28	70
Delphos.....	621	Delphos.....	Ringgold.....	Friday.....	80	14
Chicago.....	385	Delta.....	Keokuk.....	Monday.....	54	87
Denison.....	626	Denison.....	Crawford.....	Thursday.....	24	114
Derby.....	329	Derby.....	Lucas.....	Wednesday....	59	60
Capitol.....	106	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Friday.....	77	332
Center Star....	588	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Friday.....	77	401
Chesterfield..	608	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Friday.....	77	134
Ft. Des Moines .	25	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Monday.....	77	402
Highland Park.	612	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Monday.....	77	238
Montefiore....	630	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Tuesday.....	77	196
Sevastopol....	65	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Thursday.....	77	184
Sherman.....	576	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Tuesday.....	77	566
University.....	356	Des Moines....	Polk.....	Friday.....	77	278
De Soto.....	400	De Soto.....	Dallas.....	Tuesday.....	25	37
Eagle.....	86	DeWitt.....	Clinton.....	Wednesday....	23	65
Dexter.....	215	Dexter.....	Dallas.....	Wednesday....	25	100
Goshen.....	53	Diagonal.....	Ringgold.....	Monday.....	80	45
Dickens.....	583	Dickens.....	Clay.....	Tuesday.....	21	61
Grant.....	615	Dike.....	Grundy.....	Monday.....	38	106
Custer.....	381	Douds-Leando.	Van Buren....	Monday.....	89	45
Fayette.....	60	Douglass.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	33	34
Globe.....	280	Dow City.....	Crawford.....	Tuesday.....	24	122
Ridgely.....	450	Dows.....	Wright.....	Tuesday.....	99	68
Drakesville....	88	Drakesville....	Davis.....	Monday.....	26	40
Harmony.....	2	Dubuque.....	Dubuque.....	Friday.....	31	131
Julien.....	12	Dubuque.....	Dubuque.....	Tuesday.....	31	109
Dumont.....	52	Dumont.....	Butler.....	Tuesday.....	12	87
Golden Rule...	178	Dunlap.....	Harrison.....	Thursday.....	43	228
Durham.....	199	Durham.....	Marion.....	Saturday.....	63	133
Victory.....	650	Dysart.....	Tama.....	Wednesday....	86	31
Golden Links..	68	Eagle Grove...	Wright.....	Wednesday....	99	222
Earlham.....	546	Earlham.....	Madison.....	Thursday.....	61	96
Oneida.....	132	Earlville.....	Delaware.....	Tuesday.....	28	37

ALPHABETICAL LIST—*Continued*

Boyer.....	475	Early.....	Sac.....	Thursday.....	81	58
Maple Leaf....	577	East Peru....	Madison.....	Wednesday....	61	47
Day.....	26	Eddyville.....	Wapello.....	Wednesday....	90	94
West Irving...	283	Elberon.....	Tama.....	Saturday.....	86	76
Eldon.....	28	Eldon.....	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	93
Eldora.....	77	Eldora.....	Hardin.....	Monday.....	42	118
Elgin.....	290	Elgin.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	33	59
Joseph Morris	345	Elkport.....	Clayton.....	Tuesday.....	22	29
Unity.....	456	Elliott.....	Montgomery...	Tuesday.....	69	51
Wirt.....	554	Ellston.....	Ringgold.....	Saturday.....	80	72
Triple Link....	619	Ellsworth....	Hamilton.....	Thursday.....	40	80
Elwood.....	715	Elwood.....	Clinton.....	Tuesday.....	23	43
Ely.....	581	Ely.....	Linn.....	Tuesday.....	57	48
Medium.....	253	Emmetsburg...	Palo Alto.....	Tuesday.....	74	78
Iowa.....	324	Epworth.....	Dubuque.....	Saturday.....	31	43
Estherville....	423	Estherville...	Emmet.....	Monday.....	32	72
Everly.....	641	Everly.....	Clay.....	Monday.....	21	19
Exline.....	726	Exline.....	Appanoose....	Friday.....	4	116
Jefferson.....	4	Fairfield.....	Jefferson.....	Tuesday.....	51	166
Fairfield.....	629	Fairfield.....	Jefferson.....	Friday.....	51	175
Bristol.....	191	Farlin.....	Greene.....	Friday.....	37	71
Wildey.....	17	Farmington...	Van Buren....	Monday.....	89	116
Equality.....	390	Farnhamville..	Calhoun.....	Tuesday.....	13	36
Hiawatha.....	514	Fayette.....	Fayette.....	Monday.....	33	55
Ferguson.....	652	Ferguson.....	Marshall.....	Saturday.....	64	58
Floris.....	272	Floris.....	Davis.....	Friday.....	26	38
Fonda.....	203	Fonda.....	Pocahontas...	Monday.....	76	106
Fontanelle....	250	Fontanelle....	Adair.....	Wednesday....	1	201
Green Valley...	603	Foote.....	Iowa.....	Saturday.....	48	36
Forest City....	440	Forest City....	Winnebago....	Wednesday....	95	117
Olive.....	85	Fort Dodge....	Webster.....	Tuesday.....	94	173
Empire.....	31	Ft. Madison...	Lee.....	Thursday.....	56	258
Postononock...	607	Frank Pierce...	Johnson.....	Saturday.....	52	39
Fredericksburg	661	Fredericksburg	Chickasaw....	Saturday.....	19	123
Fremont.....	175	Fremont.....	Mahaska.....	Tuesday.....	62	68
Fulton.....	339	Fulton.....	Jackson.....	Saturday.....	49	85
Leech.....	543	Gait.....	Wright.....	Wednesday....	99	65
Galva.....	387	Galva.....	Ida.....	Tuesday.....	47	41
Garnavillo....	29	Garnavillo....	Clayton.....	Saturday.....	22	11
Garner.....	692	Garner.....	Hancock.....	Monday.....	41	103
Garrison.....	655	Garrison.....	Benton.....	Thursday.....	6	87
Garwin.....	437	Garwin.....	Tama.....	Thursday.....	86	43
Alba.....	213	Geneva.....	Franklin.....	Tuesday.....	35	55
Eden.....	316	Gilman.....	Marshall.....	Monday.....	64	109
Gilbert.....	645	Gilbert.....	Story.....	Friday.....	85	91
Gilmore City...	595	Gilmore City...	Humboldt....	Thursday.....	46	29
Givin.....	477	Givin.....	Mahaska.....	Wednesday....	62	48
Gladbrook....	471	Gladbrook....	Tama.....	Tuesday.....	86	73
Glasgow.....	45	Glasgow.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday.....	51	39
Glenwood.....	97	Glenwood.....	Mills.....	Tuesday.....	65	401
Philo.....	291	Glidden.....	Carroll.....	Monday.....	14	45
Goldfield.....	511	Goldfield.....	Wright.....	Saturday.....	99	96
Gowrie.....	402	Gowrie.....	Webster.....	Thursday.....	94	16

ALPHABETICAL LIST—*Continued*

Graettinger....	623	Graettinger ...	Palo Alto	Wednesday....	74	66
Junction.....	308	Grand Junction	Greene.....	Monday.....	37	131
Grand Mound..	448	Grand Mound ..	Clinton.....	Saturday.....	23	81
Grandview....	724	Grandview.....	Louisa.....	Wednesday....	58	78
Utopia.....	161	Gray.....	Audubon.....	Tuesday	5	41
Greeley.....	418	Greeley.....	Delaware.....	Saturday.....	28	102
Elm Springs...	318	Greene.....	Butler.....	Thursday.....	12	109
Greenfield....	375	Greenfield.....	Adair.....	Thursday.....	1	161
Greenville....	727	Greenville.....	Clay.....	Tuesday.....	21	44
Griffinsville..	672	Griffinsville...	Appanoose....	Saturday.....	4	49
Grimes.....	479	Grimes.....	Polk.....	Saturday.....	77	95
Grinnell.....	358	Grinnell.....	Poweshiek....	Wednesday....	79	169
Nishnabotna...	409	Griswold	Cass.....	Thursday.....	15	155
Telulah.....	285	Grundy Center	Grundy.....	Friday.....	38	63
Gruver	67	Gruver.....	Emmet	Tuesday	32	84
Maple Grove ..	605	Guss.....	Taylor.....	Saturday	87	58
Guthrie.....	113	Guthrie Center	Guthrie.....	Tuesday.....	39	108
Guttenberg....	126	Guttenberg....	Clayton.....	Friday	22	39
Hamburg.....	197	Hamburg.....	Fremont.....	Monday.....	36	182
Hamilton.....	78	Hamilton.....	Marion.....	Thursday	63	44
Hampton.....	218	Hampton.....	Franklin.....	Monday.....	35	136
Valley.....	439	Hancock.....	Pottawattamie	Saturday.....	78	107
Hansell.....	536	Hansell.....	Franklin.....	Saturday.....	35	49
Harlan.....	267	Harlan.....	Shelby.....	Friday.....	83	198
Harper.....	353	Harper.....	Keokuk.....	Saturday	54	18
Harris.....	676	Harris.....	Osceola.....	Monday.....	72	200
Hartford.....	597	Hartford.....	Warren.....	Tuesday	91	33
Hartley.....	507	Hartley.....	O'Brien.....	Friday.....	71	100
Hartwick.....	417	Hartwick	Poweshiek....	Tuesday	79	20
Hastings.....	397	Hastings.....	Mills.....	Saturday.....	65	86
Havelock.....	537	Havelock.....	Pocahontas....	Wednesday....	76	147
Hawarden.....	196	Hawarden.....	Sioux.....	Thursday.....	84	159
Relief.....	138	Hawkeye	Fayette.....	Tuesday.....	33	95
Henderson.....	443	Henderson.....	Mills.....	Thursday.....	65	39
Rathmann.....	278	Highland Center	Wapello.....	Thursday.....	90	48
Hillsboro.....	373	Hillsboro.....	Henry.....	Monday.....	44	30
Hiteman.....	548	Hiteman.....	Monroe.....	Wednesday....	68	125
Holly Springs..	710	Holly Springs..	Woodbury.....	Monday.....	97	49
Homer.....	522	Homer.....	Hamilton.....	Tuesday	40	58
Honey Creek ..	209	Honey Creek ..	Pottawattamie	Tuesday.....	78	85
Hopeville.....	306	Hopeville.....	Clarke.....	Saturday.....	20	21
Sunset.....	525	Hopkinton.....	Delaware.....	Monday.....	28	35
Hornick.....	157	Hornick.....	Woodbury.....	Tuesday	97	77
Idaho.....	454	Hubbard.....	Hardin.....	Tuesday	42	85
Hudson.....	526	Hudson.....	Black Hawk...	Thursday.....	7	125
Sioux.....	449	Hull.....	Sioux.....	Wednesday....	84	53
Springvale....	394	Humboldt.....	Humboldt	Wednesday....	46	149
Chappaqua....	121	Humeston.....	Wayne.....	Tuesday.....	93	132
Iconium.....	497	Iconium.....	Appanoose....	Saturday.....	4	12
Ida Grove.....	259	Ida Grove.....	Ida.....	Tuesday.....	47	121
Independence..	142	Independence..	Buchanan.....	Monday.....	10	244
Indianola.....	70	Indianola.....	Warren.....	Wednesday....	91	231
Inwood.....	521	Inwood.....	Lyon.....	Tuesday.....	60	64

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Eureka.....	44	Iowa City.....	Johnson.....	Tuesday.....	52	257
Arcturus.....	100	Iowa Falls.....	Hardin.....	Monday.....	42	176
Ireton.....	502	Ireton.....	Sioux.....	Monday.....	84	80
Richland.....	579	Jamaica.....	Guthrie.....	Thursday.....	39	54
Janesville.....	585	Janesville.....	Bremer.....	Tuesday.....	9	19
Greene.....	315	Jefferson.....	Greene.....	Monday.....	37	260
Buchanan.....	158	Jesup.....	Buchanan.....	Monday.....	10	32
Beach.....	452	Jewell.....	Hamilton.....	Tuesday.....	40	87
Spartan.....	226	Kalo.....	Webster.....	Saturday.....	94	62
Kalona.....	508	Kalona.....	Washington.....	Tuesday.....	92	29
Kanawha.....	667	Kanawha.....	Hancock.....	Tuesday.....	41	107
Kellerton.....	425	Kellerton.....	Ringgold.....	Monday.....	80	72
Kelley.....	249	Kelley.....	Story.....	Thursday.....	85	59
Tecumseh.....	181	Kellogg.....	Jasper.....	Tuesday.....	50	115
Kent.....	666	Kent.....	Union.....	Thursday.....	88	94
Herman.....	116	Keokuk.....	Lee.....	Wednesday.....	56	61
Keokuk.....	13	Keokuk.....	Lee.....	Monday.....	56	167
Puckechetuck.....	43	Keokuk.....	Lee.....	Friday.....	56	116
Keosauqua.....	3	Keosauqua.....	Van Buren.....	Saturday.....	89	138
Enterprise.....	159	Keota.....	Keokuk.....	Thursday.....	54	171
Keswick.....	414	Keswick.....	Keokuk.....	Wednesday.....	54	86
Keystone.....	35	Keystone.....	Benton.....	Tuesday.....	6	81
Kingsley.....	204	Kingsley.....	Plymouth.....	Friday.....	75	68
Benton.....	277	Kingston.....	Des Moines.....	Thursday.....	29	43
Kirkville.....	47	Kirkville.....	Wapello.....	Saturday.....	90	68
Klemme.....	445	Klemme.....	Hancock.....	Monday.....	41	36
Knowlton.....	431	Knowlton.....	Ringgold.....	Wednesday.....	80	39
Knoxville.....	90	Knoxville.....	Marion.....	Tuesday.....	63	331
Lacelle.....	118	Lacelle.....	Clarke.....	Saturday.....	20	38
Lacona.....	530	Lacona.....	Warren.....	Wednesday.....	91	79
Ladora.....	622	Ladora.....	Iowa.....	Thursday.....	48	94
Lake City.....	330	Lake City.....	Calhoun.....	Tuesday.....	13	241
Aurora.....	412	Lake Mills.....	Winnebago.....	Thursday.....	95	126
Silver Park.....	616	Lake Park.....	Dickinson.....	Tuesday.....	30	123
Lake View.....	302	Lake View.....	Sac.....	Friday.....	81	80
Phallu.....	602	Lakonta.....	Mahaska.....	Tuesday.....	62	48
Lamoni.....	127	Lamoni.....	Decatur.....	Thursday.....	27	74
Lamont.....	656	Lamont.....	Buchanan.....	Tuesday.....	10	56
Lanesboro.....	517	Lanesboro.....	Carroll.....	Tuesday.....	14	49
Lotos.....	705	Laporte City.....	Black Hawk.....	Monday.....	7	111
Larrabee.....	720	Larrabee.....	Cherokee.....	Friday.....	18	68
Justus.....	717	Lawton.....	Woodbury.....	Saturday.....	97	83
Pilot.....	38	LeClaire.....	Scott.....	Wednesday.....	82	69
Vespe.....	305	Lehigh.....	Webster.....	Wednesday.....	94	67
LeMars.....	255	LeMars.....	Plymouth.....	Monday.....	75	152
Lenox.....	407	Lenox.....	Taylor.....	Tuesday.....	87	37
Leon.....	84	Leon.....	Decatur.....	Friday.....	27	149
Lester.....	565	Lester.....	Lyon.....	Monday.....	60	57
Letts.....	671	Letts.....	Louisa.....	Thursday.....	58	65
Lewis.....	140	Lewis.....	Cass.....	Saturday.....	15	186
Warren.....	287	Liberty Center.....	Warren.....	Saturday.....	91	61
Emmet.....	295	Libertyville.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday.....	51	48
.....	173	Linby.....	ff on.....	Wednesday.....	51	61

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Linden.....	428	Linden.....	Dallas.....	Friday.....	25	106
Olive Branch ..	210	Lineville.....	Wayne.....	Tuesday.....	93	99
Lisbon.....	71	Lisbon.....	Linn.....	Thursday.....	57	54
Liscomb.....	242	Liscomb.....	Marshall.....	Wednesday....	64	130
Little Cedar...	639	Little Cedar...	Mitchell.....	Saturday.....	66	54
Little Rock....	513	Little Rock....	Lyon.....	Thursday.....	60	21
Little Sioux....	389	Little Sioux....	Harrison.....	Monday.....	43	6
Logan.....	355	Logan.....	Harrison.....	Friday.....	43	194
Lohrville.....	469	Lohrville.....	Calhoun.....	Saturday.....	13	128
Omega.....	728	Lone Tree.....	Johnson.....	Friday.....	52	113
Long Grove ...	719	Long Grove....	Scott.....	Monday.....	82	66
Lorimor.....	558	Lorimor.....	Union.....	Thursday.....	88	12
Lost Nation...	618	Lost Nation...	Clinton.....	Saturday.....	23	46
Lovilia.....	438	Lovilia.....	Monroe.....	Wednesday....	68	39
Low Moor.....	395	Low Moor.....	Clinton.....	Friday.....	23	27
Lucas.....	424	Lucas.....	Lucas.....	Monday.....	59	14
Adversity.....	372	Luton.....	Woodbury....	Saturday.....	97	59
Luther.....	677	Luther.....	Boone.....	Thursday.....	8	75
Luverne.....	500	Luverne.....	Kossuth.....	Monday.....	55	29
Lynnville.....	322	Lynnville.....	Jasper.....	Monday.....	50	84
Lyons.....	61	Lyons.....	Clinton.....	Tuesday.....	23	214
Lytton.....	336	Lytton.....	Sac.....	Tuesday.....	81	132
Macedonia....	421	Macedonia....	Pottawattamie	Tuesday.....	78	112
Grand River ..	406	Macksburg....	Madison.....	Saturday.....	61	146
Madrid.....	433	Madrid.....	Boone.....	Friday.....	8	134
Harrison.....	703	Magnolia.....	Harrison.....	Thursday.....	43	61
Malcom.....	369	Malcom.....	Poweshiek....	Monday.....	79	102
Malvern.....	276	Malvern.....	Mills.....	Tuesday.....	65	64
Manchester....	149	Manchester....	Delaware.....	Friday.....	28	175
Manly.....	561	Manly.....	Worth.....	Monday.....	98	121
Manning.....	122	Manning.....	Carroll.....	Thursday.....	14	17
Manson.....	642	Manson.....	Calhoun.....	Tuesday.....	13	68
Maple Valley ..	399	Mapleton.....	Monona.....	Tuesday.....	67	157
Jackson.....	33	Maquoketa....	Jackson.....	Friday.....	49	235
Epp.....	708	Marathon....	Buena Vista...	Monday.....	11	97
Marble Rock...	362	Marble Rock..	Floyd.....	Thursday.....	34	60
Marcus.....	359	Marcus.....	Cherokee.....	Friday.....	18	77
Hebron.....	148	Marengo.....	Iowa.....	Tuesday.....	48	178
Osceola.....	18	Marion.....	Linn.....	Thursday.....	57	188
Marne.....	366	Marne.....	Cass.....	Monday.....	15	22
Banner.....	123	Marshalltown..	Marshall.....	Tuesday.....	64	332
Goethe.....	211	Marshalltown..	Marshall.....	Wednesday ...	64	36
Martinsburg...	333	Martinsburg...	Keokuk.....	Saturday.....	54	39
Marysville....	307	Marysville....	Marion.....	Tuesday.....	63	33
Massena.....	489	Massena.....	Cass.....	Tuesday.....	15	89
Mason City....	224	Mason City....	Cerro Gordo...	Tuesday.....	17	532
Ebenezer.....	587	Masonville....	Delaware.....	Tuesday.....	28	43
Social.....	463	Maxwell.....	Story.....	Wednesday....	85	111
Maynard.....	549	Maynard.....	Fayette.....	Monday.....	33	50
Itasca.....	111	McGregor.....	Clayton.....	Tuesday.....	22	102
Bailey.....	600	McIntire.....	Mitchell.....	Saturday.....	66	56
Star.....	166	Mechanicsville	Cedar.....	Tuesday.....	16	71
Garner.....	379	Mediapolis....	Des Moines....	Monday.....	29	84

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Medora.....	681	Medora.....	Warren.....	Tuesday.....	91	22
Melbourne....	488	Melbourne....	Marshall.....	Saturday.....	64	68
Menlo.....	697	Menlo.....	Guthrie.....	Monday.....	39	138
Meriden.....	374	Meriden.....	Cherokee.....	Wednesday....	18	42
Floyd Valley...	208	Merrill.....	Plymouth.....	Thursday.....	75	182
Meservey.....	638	Meservey.....	Cerro Gordo...	Thursday.....	17	27
Centennial....	572	Miles.....	Jackson.....	Saturday.....	49	131
Monitor.....	491	Milford.....	Dickinson.....	Monday.....	30	32
Millersburg...	364	Millersburg...	Iowa.....	Thursday.....	48	65
New York.....	193	Millerton.....	Wayne.....	Saturday.....	93	55
Milo.....	413	Milo.....	Warren.....	Tuesday.....	91	73
Lone Star.....	155	Milton.....	Van Buren.....	Saturday.....	89	113
Minburn.....	688	Minburn.....	Dallas.....	Thursday.....	25	120
Minden.....	575	Minden.....	Pottawattamie.	Friday.....	78	96
Mingo.....	174	Mingo.....	Jasper.....	Wednesday....	50	94
Missouri Valley	170	Missouri Valley	Harrison.....	Wednesday....	43	214
Mitchellville...	363	Mitchellville...	Polk.....	Thursday.....	77	174
Modale.....	573	Modale.....	Harrison.....	Tuesday.....	43	103
Mondamin....	392	Mondamin....	Harrison.....	Saturday.....	43	80
NorthernLight.	156	Monona.....	Clayton.....	Monday.....	22	56
Jasper.....	168	Monroe.....	Jasper.....	Tuesday.....	50	81
Montezuma...	74	Montezuma....	Poweshiek.....	Friday.....	79	225
Monticello....	117	Monticello....	Jones.....	Monday.....	53	51
Cascade.....	66	Montrose.....	Lee.....	Tuesday.....	56	33
Moravia.....	510	Moravia.....	Appanoose....	Tuesday.....	4	124
Moulton.....	297	Moulton.....	Appanoose....	Monday.....	4	200
Mt. Auburn....	244	Mt. Auburn....	Benton.....	Wednesday....	6	74
Mt. Ayr.....	169	Mt. Ayr.....	Ringgold.....	Tuesday.....	80	172
Mt. Etna.....	382	Mt. Etna.....	Adams.....	Saturday.....	2	43
Mt. Hamill....	462	Mt. Hamill....	Lee.....	Saturday.....	56	44
Henry.....	10	Mt. Pleasant...	Henry.....	Monday.....	44	309
Mystic.....	55	Mt. Pleasant..	Henry.....	Tuesday.....	44	306
Mt. Sterling...	426	Mt. Sterling...	Van Buren.....	Saturday.....	89	53
Mt. Vernon....	551	Mt. Vernon....	Linn.....	Wednesday....	57	162
Moville.....	509	Moville.....	Woodbury.....	Wednesday....	97	58
Murray.....	487	Murray.....	Clarke.....	Tuesday.....	20	70
Muscatine.....	5	Muscatine.....	Muscatine....	Monday.....	70	141
Merriam.....	555	Mystic.....	Appanoose....	Monday.....	4	93
Nashua.....	391	Nashua.....	Chickasaw....	Thursday.....	19	140
Neola.....	410	Neola.....	Pottawattamie.	Saturday.....	78	52
Central Iowa..	104	Nevada.....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	116
Newell.....	232	Newell.....	Buena Vista...	Wednesday....	11	158
Phenix.....	556	New Hampton.	Chickasaw....	Wednesday....	19	90
Oswegatchie...	20	New Hartford.	Butler.....	Thursday.....	12	26
Charity.....	56	New London...	Henry.....	Friday.....	44	309
New Market...	582	New Market...	Taylor.....	Saturday.....	87	221
New Sharon...	231	New Sharon...	Mahaska.....	Friday.....	62	52
Central.....	73	Newton.....	Jasper.....	Monday.....	50	247
New Virginia..	564	New Virginia..	Warren.....	Wednesday....	91	26
Nichols.....	664	Nichols.....	Muscatine....	Tuesday.....	70	66
Granite Rock..	200	Nora Springs..	Floyd.....	Friday.....	34	93
Northboro....	701	Northboro....	Page.....	Friday.....	73	58
North English.	325	North English.	Iowa.....	Saturday.....	48	90

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Penn.....	289	North Liberty.	Johnson.....	Friday.....	52	25
Worth.....	378	Northwood....	Worth.....	Monday.....	98	75
Three Rivers ..	377	Norwalk.....	Warren.....	Saturday.....	91	23
Florence.....	404	Norway.....	Benton.....	Wednesday....	6	15
Norwood.....	490	Norwood.....	Lucas.....	Thursday.....	59	71
Oakland.....	442	Oakland.....	Pottawattamie.	Wednesday....	78	64
Oakville.....	139	Oakville.....	Louisa.....	Tuesday.....	58	107
Odebolt.....	447	Odebolt.....	Sac.....	Tuesday.....	81	108
Oelwein.....	294	Oelwein.....	Fayette.....	Wednesday....	33	251
Ogden.....	281	Ogden.....	Boone.....	Friday.....	8	159
Ollie.....	153	Ollie.....	Keokuk.....	Friday.....	54	59
Monona.....	380	Onawa.....	Monona.....	Monday.....	67	114
Onslow.....	398	Onslow.....	Jones.....	Monday.....	53	35
Ontario.....	133	Ontario.....	Story.....	Wednesday....	85	28
Orient.....	518	Orient.....	Adair.....	Tuesday.....	1	46
Osage.....	195	Osage.....	Mitchell.....	Tuesday.....	66	98
Clarke.....	95	Osceola.....	Clarke.....	Tuesday.....	20	86
Commercial ...	128	Oskaloosa.....	Mahaska.....	Wednesday....	62	124
Turkey Valley.	194	Osterdock....	Clayton.....	Saturday.....	22	46
Oto.....	343	Oto.....	Woodbury.....	Wednesday....	97	79
Ottumwa.....	9	Ottumwa.....	Wapello.....	Tuesday.....	90	212
Pickwick.....	129	Ottumwa.....	Wapello.....	Thursday.....	90	141
Acme.....	505	Oxford.....	Johnson.....	Saturday.....	52	49
Pacific.....	110	Pacific Junction	Mills.....	Wednesday....	65	63
Palmyra.....	146	Palmyra.....	Warren.....	Saturday.....	91	47
Panora.....	145	Panora.....	Guthrie.....	Wednesday....	39	79
Bevington.....	69	Patterson.....	Madison.....	Saturday.....	61	52
Paullina.....	483	Paullina.....	O'Brien.....	Tuesday.....	71	79
Pella.....	87	Pella.....	Marion.....	Thursday.....	63	31
Percy.....	730	Percy.....	Marion.....	Saturday.....	63	18
Walnut.....	317	Perlee.....	Jefferson.....	Thursday.....	51	26
Horeb.....	408	Perry.....	Dallas.....	Tuesday.....	25	213
Persia.....	481	Persia.....	Harrison.....	Tuesday.....	43	75
Pierson.....	625	Pierson.....	Woodbury.....	Thursday.....	97	124
Pilot Mound...	563	Pilot Mound...	Boone.....	Tuesday.....	8	95
Pisgah.....	457	Pisgah.....	Harrison.....	Wednesday....	43	90
Plano.....	63	Plano.....	Appanoose....	Thursday.....	4	46
Pleasantville..	446	Pleasantville..	Marion.....	Monday.....	63	79
Plover.....	686	Plover.....	Pocahontas....	Thursday.....	76	52
Oak.....	167	Plymouth.....	Cerro Gordo...	Saturday.....	17	113
Pocahontas....	112	Pocahontas....	Pocahontas....	Monday.....	76	139
Polk City.....	300	Polk City.....	Polk.....	Tuesday.....	77	98
Pomeroy.....	180	Pomeroy.....	Calhoun.....	Thursday.....	13	53
Postville.....	707	Postville.....	Allamakee....	Friday.....	3	60
Prairie City ...	144	Prairie City....	Jasper.....	Friday.....	50	167
Prescott.....	108	Prescott.....	Adams.....	Friday.....	2	42
Strang's Refuge	252	Preston.....	Jackson.....	Saturday.....	49	99
Primghar.....	506	Primghar.....	O'Brien.....	Friday.....	71	96
Swan.....	234	Princeton.....	Scott.....	Saturday.....	82	76
Mayo.....	319	Pulaski.....	Davis.....	Saturday.....	26	22
Sparta.....	524	Quimby.....	Cherokee.....	Saturday.....	18	100
Randalia.....	177	Randalia.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	33	46
Randolph.....	420	Randolph.....	Fremont.....	Monday.....	36	85

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Redfield.....	135	Redfield.....	Dallas.....	Tuesday.....	25	126
Union.....	176	Red Oak.....	Montgomery...	Tuesday.....	69	331
Reinbeck.....	386	Reinbeck.....	Grundy.....	Wednesday....	38	184
Renwick.....	484	Renwick.....	Humboldt....	Monday.....	46	97
Mineral.....	519	Rhodes.....	Marshall.....	Tuesday.....	64	48
Kossuth.....	32	Richland.....	Keokuk.....	Saturday.....	54	132
McKinley.....	332	Ringsted.....	Emmet.....	Monday.....	32	32
Rippey.....	466	Rippey.....	Greene.....	Thursday.....	37	134
Middle Link...	245	Riverside.....	Washington...	Monday.....	92	72
Riverton.....	258	Riverton.....	Fremont.....	Tuesday.....	36	83
Jericho.....	474	Rockford.....	Floyd.....	Monday.....	34	48
Rock Rapids ..	480	Rock Rapids...	Lyon.....	Tuesday.....	60	180
Rock Valley...	496	Rock Valley...	Sioux.....	Tuesday.....	84	48
Fraternity.....	344	Rockwell.....	Cerro Gordo...	Wednesday....	17	176
Rockwell City.	529	Rockwell City .	Calhoun.....	Tuesday.....	13	202
Rodney.....	586	Rodney.....	Monona.....	Monday.....	67	95
Rolfe.....	94	Rolfe.....	Pocahontas....	Saturday.....	76	118
Rose Hill.....	376	Rose Hill.....	Mahaska.....	Thursday.....	62	83
Spring Valley..	714	Rose Hill.....	Mahaska.....	Wednesday....	62	65
Rossie.....	632	Rossie.....	Clay.....	Monday.....	21	23
Allamakee.....	172	Rossville.....	Allamakee....	Saturday.....	3	35
Royal.....	687	Royal.....	Clay.....	Monday.....	21	64
Russell.....	337	Russell.....	Lucas.....	Monday.....	59	113
Highland.....	383	Ruthven.....	Palo Alto.....	Monday.....	74	119
Lafayette.....	39	Sabula.....	Jackson.....	Tuesday.....	49	118
Sac City.....	323	Sac City.....	Sac.....	Monday.....	81	258
St. Charles....	416	St. Charles....	Madison.....	Saturday.....	61	52
Salina.....	427	Salina.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday.....	51	17
Salix.....	689	Salix.....	Woodbury.....	Wednesday....	97	80
Sanborn.....	434	Sanborn.....	O'Brien.....	Saturday.....	71	52
Sandyville.....	298	Sandyville....	Warren.....	Thursday.....	91	34
Wm Garrett...	609	Schaller.....	Sac.....	Thursday.....	81	33
Pretoria.....	696	Schleswig.....	Crawford.....	Monday.....	24	76
Scranton.....	357	Scranton.....	Greene.....	Friday.....	37	149
Searsboro.....	335	Searsboro.....	Poweshiek.....	Saturday.....	79	76
Van Buren....	350	Selma.....	Van Buren....	Saturday.....	89	59
Sewal.....	453	Sewal.....	Wayne.....	Saturday.....	93	39
Lone Tree.....	352	Seymour.....	Wayne.....	Thursday.....	93	130
Shannon City..	559	Shannon City..	Union.....	Saturday.....	88	83
Sheffield.....	422	Sheffield.....	Franklin.....	Tuesday.....	35	78
Canopy.....	401	Shelby.....	Shelby.....	Saturday.....	83	109
Locust.....	367	Sheldon.....	O'Brien.....	Tuesday.....	71	83
Shell Rock	270	Shell Rock.....	Butler.....	Saturday.....	12	143
Shellsburg....	171	Shellsburg....	Benton.....	Wednesday....	6	121
Shenandoah ...	261	Shenandoah ...	Page.....	Monday.....	73	273
Sheridan.....	654	Sheridan Center	Poweshiek.....	Tuesday.....	79	33
Sibley.....	251	Sibley.....	Osceola.....	Monday.....	72	82
Frontier.....	93	Sidney.....	Fremont.....	Tuesday.....	36	141
Sigourney.....	98	Sigourney.....	Keokuk.....	Wednesday....	54	258
Silver City....	403	Silver City....	Mills.....	Thursday.....	65	70
Reliance.....	533	Sioux City....	Woodbury.....	Thursday.....	97	131
Sioux City....	164	Sioux City....	Woodbury.....	Monday.....	97	235
Western Star ..	282	Sioux City....	Woodbury.....	Tuesday.....	97	227

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Woodbury.....	684	Sioux City.....	Woodbury.....	Wednesday....	97	295
Buena Vista...	574	Sioux Rapids ..	Buena Vista...	Monday.....	11	98
Slater.....	384	Slater.....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	83
Sloan.....	465	Sloan.....	Woodbury.....	Thursday.....	97	45
Soldier Valley .	580	Soldier.....	Monona.....	Thursday.....	67	146
Solon.....	610	Solon.....	Johnson.....	Thursday.....	52	31
Cedar.....	640	Somers.....	Calhoun.....	Saturday.....	13	77
South English .	263	South English .	Keokuk.....	Wednesday....	54	60
Spencer.....	247	Spencer.....	Clay.....	Wednesday....	21	202
Diamond.....	326	Sperry.....	Des Moines....	Friday.....	29	45
Minnewaukon .	274	Spirit Lake....	Dickinson....	Tuesday.....	30	96
Spring Hill....	435	Spring Hill....	Warren.....	Saturday.....	91	60
Springville....	227	Springville....	Linn.....	Tuesday.....	57	85
Center.....	260	State Center...	Marshall....	Wednesday....	64	32
Stockport.....	223	Stockport.....	Van Buren	Wednesday....	89	54
Storm Lake ...	221	Storm Lake....	Buena Vista...	Wednesday....	11	177
Briar.....	679	Story City	Story.....	Thursday.....	85	21
Strahan.....	659	Strahan.....	Mills.....	Saturday.....	65	26
York.....	75	Strawberry Pt .	Clayton.....	Saturday.....	22	63
Stuart.....	214	Stuart.....	Guthrie.....	Thursday.....	39	240
Sumner.....	338	Sumner.....	Bremer.....	Monday.....	9	54
Superior.....	674	Superior.....	Dickinson....	Monday.....	30	131
Sutherland....	415	Sutherland	O'Brien.....	Monday.....	71	87
Riverside.....	478	Swan.....	Marion.....	Thursday.....	63	116
Odd Fellows...	613	Swea City.....	Kossuth.....	Monday.....	55	90
Star of Hope...	347	Swedesburg....	Henry.....	Tuesday.....	44	71
Peoria.....	501	Taintor.....	Mahaska.....	Tuesday.....	62	49
Tama.....	152	Tama.....	Tama.....	Friday.....	86	171
Elk River.....	162	Teeds Grove...	Clinton.....	Saturday.....	23	47
Thayer.....	240	Thayer.....	Union.....	Saturday.....	88	22
King.....	592	Thompson.....	Winnebago...	Tuesday.....	95	55
Anchor.....	593	Thornton.....	Cerro Gordo...	Wednesday....	17	84
Tingley.....	15	Tingley.....	Ringgold.....	Saturday.....	80	68
Manitou.....	8	Tipton.....	Cedar.....	Thursday.....	16	183
Titonka.....	649	Titonka.....	Kossuth.....	Tuesday.....	55	75
Toledo.....	179	Toledo.....	Tama.....	Thursday.....	86	245
Tracy.....	568	Tracy.....	Marion.....	Saturday.....	63	123
Gem.....	301	Traer.....	Tama.....	Wednesday....	86	90
Troy.....	27	Troy.....	Davis.....	Saturday.....	26	84
Unadilla.....	299	Troy Mills....	Linn.....	Saturday.....	57	56
Udell.....	713	Udell.....	Appanoose....	Saturday.....	4	44
Industry.....	225	Union.....	Hardin.....	Friday.....	42	126
Unionville....	665	Unionville....	Appanoose....	Tuesday.....	4	26
Urbana.....	328	Urbana.....	Benton.....	Thursday.....	6	47
Valley Jct....	604	Valley Jct....	Polk.....	Monday.....	77	148
Coon Valley...	257	Van Meter	Dallas.....	Wednesday....	25	38
Van Wert.....	212	Van Wert.....	Decatur.....	Saturday.....	27	69
Victor.....	192	Victor.....	Iowa.....	Wednesday....	48	58
Villisca.....	219	Villisca.....	Montgomery...	Tuesday.....	69	169
Vinton.....	83	Vinton.....	Benton.....	Monday.....	6	149
Wadena.....	723	Wadena.....	Fayette.....	Thursday.....	33	74
Walker.....	498	Walker.....	Linn.....	Tuesday.....	57	53
Wall Lake.....	360	Wall Lake.....	Sac.....	Tuesday.....	81	26

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Moriah.....	327	Walnut.....	Pottawattamie..	Monday.....	78	58
Louisa.....	19	Wapello.....	Louisa.....	Monday.....	58	151
Covenant.....	101	Washington....	Washington....	Tuesday.....	92	221
Spruce.....	284	Washta.....	Cherokee.....	Monday.....	18	114
Black Hawk....	72	Waterloo.....	Black Hawk....	Wednesday....	7	466
West Waterloo..	716	Waterloo.....	Black Hawk....	Tuesday.....	7	334
Waukee.....	311	Waukee.....	Dallas.....	Wednesday....	25	50
Waucoma.....	303	Waucoma.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	33	40
Waukon.....	182	Waukon.....	Allamakee....	Monday.....	3	78
Willow Lawn..	623	Waverly.....	Bremer.....	Monday.....	9	89
Elmo.....	62	Webster City..	Hamilton.....	Tuesday.....	40	252
Weldon.....	441	Weldon.....	Decatur.....	Thursday.....	27	49
Wellman.....	92	Wellman.....	Washington....	Tuesday.....	92	105
Success.....	134	Wesley.....	Kossuth.....	Monday.....	55	82
Prairie Valley..	504	West Bend....	Palo Alto.....	Friday.....	74	92
West Branch...	680	West Branch...	Cedar.....	Saturday.....	16	49
West Grove...	239	West Grove....	Davis.....	Thursday.....	26	20
Liberty.....	190	West Liberty..	Muscatine....	Friday.....	70	172
Round Grove..	41	West Union...	Fayette.....	Monday.....	33	90
Wever.....	552	Wever.....	Lee.....	Saturday.....	56	84
Leola.....	202	What Cheer...	Keokuk.....	Friday.....	54	27
Prospect.....	531	Whiting.....	Monona.....	Tuesday.....	67	151
Williamsburg...	368	Williamsburg..	Iowa.....	Saturday.....	48	135
Pulaski.....	107	Wilton Jct....	Muscatine....	Friday.....	70	52
Winfield.....	154	Winfield.....	Henry.....	Monday.....	44	112
Madison.....	136	Winterset....	Madison.....	Tuesday.....	61	127
Winthrop.....	550	Winthrop.....	Buchanan.....	Wednesday....	10	129
Wiota.....	346	Wiota.....	Cass.....	Wednesday....	15	61
Woodbine.....	405	Woodbine.....	Harrison.....	Wednesday....	43	256
Woodburn.....	503	Woodburn.....	Clarke.....	Saturday.....	20	73
Woodward.....	460	Woodward.....	Dallas.....	Thursday.....	25	199
Woolstock....	266	Woolstock....	Wright.....	Saturday.....	99	120
Wyoming.....	147	Wyoming.....	Jones.....	Monday.....	53	42
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Electric.....	644	Zearing.....	Story.....	Tuesday.....	85	62

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Following is an alphabetical and numerical list of Rebekah Lodges in Iowa:

ALPHABETICAL				NUMERICAL	
LODGE	NO.	WHERE HELD	COUNTY	NO.	WHERE HELD
Pink.....	426	Ackley.....	Hardin.....	1	Bloomfield
Sunbeam.....	73	Adel.....	Dallas.....	2	Davenport
Ivy.....	39	Afton.....	Union.....	3	Council Bluffs
Olive and Oak	455	Agency.....	Wapello.....	4	Keokuk
Pilgrim.....	491	Akron.....	Plymouth.....	5	Cedar Rapids
Alberta.....	515	Albert City....	Buena Vista ...	6	Stuart
Albia.....	323	Albia.....	Monroe.....	7	Guttenberg
Paran.....	464	Albion.....	Marshall.....	8	Dunlap
Alburnett.....	477	Alburnett.....	Linn.....	9	Davenport
Alden.....	130	Alden.....	Hardin.....	10	Richland
Algona.....	365	Algona.....	Kossuth.....	11	Decatur
Prairie Gem...	131	Allerton.....	Wayne.....	12	Burlington
Starlight	80	Alphá.....	Fayette.....	13	Clinton
Summit	121	Alta.....	Buena Vista ...	14	Nichols
Vesta.....	576	Alvord.....	Lyon.....	15	Sioux City
Marian.....	108	Ames.....	Story.....	16	Oskaloosa
Evangeline....	31	Anamosa.....	Jones.....	17	South English
Dawson.....	314	Andrew.....	Jackson.....	18	Corning
Juanita.....	206	Anita.....	Cass.....	19	Lake View
Ideal.....	493	Ankeny.....	Polk.....	20	Missouri Valley
Valley.....	338	Anthon.....	Woodbury.....	21	Carlisle
Arlington.....	328	Arlington.....	Fayette.....	22	Early
Bonanza.....	435	Armstrong.....	Emmet.....	23	Farmington
Ash Grove....	382	Ash Grove.....	Davis.....	24	Jefferson
Plat Dell .. .	112	Athelstan	Taylor.....	25	Independence
Lotos.....	87	Atlantic.....	Cass.....	26	Monona
Cuba.....	254	Auburn.....	Sac.....	27	Muscatine
Audubon.....	459	Audubon.....	Audubon.....	28	Spencer
Aurelia.....	325	Aurelia.....	Cherokee.....	29	Sibley
Highland.....	415	Avery.....	Monroe.....	30	Lake City
Prudence.....	66	Avoca.....	Pottawattamie.	31	Anamosa
Ayrshire.....	253	Ayrshire.....	Palo Alto.....	32	Hancock
Bagley.....	432	Bagley.....	Guthrie.....	33	Chariton
Nain.....	587	Barnes City ...	Mahaska.....	34	Strawberry Point
Batavia.....	441	Batavia.....	Jefferson.....	35	Marion
Oak.....	361	Battle Creek...	Ida.....	36	Sheldon
Corona.....	313	Bayard.....	Guthrie.....	37	Greenfield
Zephyr.....	203	Beacon.....	Mahaska.....	38	Hamilton
Beaman.....	554	Beaman.....	Grundy.....	39	Afton
Golden Rule ..	134	Bedford.....	Taylor.....	40	Marshalltown
Sincere.....	59	Belle Plaine....	Benton.....	41	Ottumwa
Golden Rod...	162	Belmond.....	Wright.....	42	Pocahontas
Benton.....	523	Benton.....	Ringgold.....	44	Waucoma
Bentonsport ..	577	Bentonsport ...	Van Buren.....	45	Mt Pleasant
Oak Hill.....	287	Bertram.....	Linn.....	46	Onslow

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Gold Leaf	107	Blairsburg	Hamilton	47 Creston
Celia	570	Blakesburg	Wapello	49 Rock Rapids
Neptune	530	Blencoe	Monona	50	..... Ft Dodge
Maple Leaf	223	Blockton	Taylor	51	..... Sutherland
Bloomfield	1	Bloomfield	Davis	52	..... Monroe
May Henry	165	Bondurant	Polk	53	..... Castana
Boone	301	Boone	Boone	54	..... Waterloo
Prospect	94	Boone	Boone	55	..... Estherville
Forest	384	Booneville	Dallas	56	..... Milton
Bouton	529	Bouton	Dallas	57	..... Osceola
Heliotrope	366	Brandon	Buchanan	58	..... Washington
Brayton	567	Brayton	Audubon	59	..... Belle Plaine
Wickersham	471	Brazil	Appanoose	60	..... Scranton
Hebron	575	Bridgewater	Adair	62	..... LeMars
Brighton	269	Brighton	Washington	63	..... Shellsburg
Snowball	299	Bristow	Butler	64	..... Lewis
Charity	334	Britt	Hancock	65	..... Linby
Bronson	558	Bronson	Woodbury	66	..... Avoca
Deborah	202	Brooklyn	Poweshiek	67	..... Malcom
Circle	289	Buckeye	Hardin	68	..... Panora
Bunch	393	Bunch	Davis	69	..... Ellsworth
Paul Caster	348	Burlington	Des Moines	70	..... Knoxville
Ruth	12	Burlington	Des Moines	71	... Mechanicsville
Usona	458	Burr Oak	Winneshiek	72	..... Webster City
Burt	585	Burt	Kossuth	73	..... Adel
Isadore	239	Bussey	Marion	74	..... Oelwein
Giles	593	Cambridge	Story	75	..... Garrison
Cantril	209	Cantril	Van Buren	76	..... Des Moines
Rhodema	21	Carlisle	Warren	77	..... Eldon
Central	191	Carroll	Carroll	78	..... Pomeroy
Oak Leaf	580	Casey	Guthrie	79	... Cedar Rapids
Maple View	53	Castana	Monona	80	..... Alpha
Rosedale	555	Cedar	Mahaska	81	... Valley Junction
HappyThought . . .	256	Cedar Falls	Black Hawk	82	..... DeWitt
Cedar	494	Cedar Rapids	Linn	83	..... Churdan
Home	79	Cedar Rapids	Linn	84	..... Coin
Praha	5	Cedar Rapids	Linn	85	..... Gruver
Star of Maine . . .	221	Cedar Rapids	Linn	87	..... Atlantic
Peerless	562	Center Junction . . .	Jones	88	..... Hamburg
Blue Bell	99	Center Point	Linn	89	..... Polk City
Anna	95	Centerville	Appanoose	90	..... Thompson
Good Wi	439	Central City	Linn	91	..... Moulton
Creo	139	Chapin	Franklin	92	... Guthrie Center
Chariton	33	Chariton	Lucas	93	..... Montrose
Cedar Valley	226	Charles City	Floyd	94	..... Boone
Pleasant Oak	563	Charter Oak	Crawford	95	..... Centerville
C over land	178	Chelsea	Tama	96	..... Fairfield
Diadem	372	Cherokee	Cherokee	97	..... West Union
Chester	153	Chester	Howard	98	..... Sumner
Banner	440	Chillicothe	Wapello	99	... Center Point
Bethuel	83	Churdan	Greene	100 Fulton
Marine	271	Cincinnati	Appanoose	101 Ogden
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Marietta.....	501	Clarion.....	Wright.....	103 Lehigh
Clarksville....	533	Clarksville....	Butler.....	104 Princeton
Tina.....	105	Clear Lake....	Cerro Gordo...	105	..... Clear Lake
Cleghorn.....	446	Cleghorn.....	Cherokee.....	106	..... Mason City
Rei.....	294	Clemons.....	Marshall.....	107	..... Blairsburg
Clermont.....	461	Clermont.....	Fayette.....	108	..... Ames
Olive Branch..	369	Clinton.....	Clinton.....	109	..... What Cheer
Silver Moon... 242		Clinton.....	Clinton.....	110	..... Kalo
Star of Hope.. 13		Clinton.....	Clinton.....	111	..... Indianola
Star of Truth.. 207		Clinton.....	Clinton.....	112	..... Athelstan
Myrtle.....	559	Coggon.....	Linn.....	113	..... Montezuma
Minnehaha....	84	Coin.....	Page.....	114	..... McGregor
Spring City... 208		Colfax.....	Jasper.....	115	..... Hopkinton
Colesburg.....	428	Colesburg.....	Delaware.....	116	..... Traer
Iowana.....	408	Columbus Jct..	Louisa.....	117	..... Wesley
Silver Leaf.... 394		Columbus Jct..	Louisa.....	118	..... Pella
Hephzibah.... 288		Conway.....	Taylor.....	119	..... Grinnell
Benevolence... 18		Corning.....	Adams.....	120	..... Wall Lake
Little Sioux... 434		Correctionville	Woodbury.....	121	..... Alta
Bethany.....	566	Corydon.....	Wayne.....	122	..... Urbana
Boone Valley.. 584		Corwith.....	Hancock.....	123	..... West Liberty
Council Bluffs. 3		Council Bluffs	Pottawattamie.	124	..... Le Claire
Unity.....	388	Council Bluffs	Pottawattamie	125	..... Lester
Cresco.....	284	Cresco.....	Howard.....	126	..... Linden
Royal.....	47	Creston.....	Union.....	127	..... Cumberland
Priscilla.....	127	Cumberland...	Cass.....	128	..... Des Moines
Curlew.....	396	Curlew.....	Palo Alto.....	129	..... Wapello
Penrose.....	276	Cushing.....	Woodbury.....	130	..... Alden
Cylinder.....	539	Cylinder.....	Palo Alto.....	131	..... Allerton
Rathmann.....	481	Dallas Center..	Dallas.....	132	..... Ottumwa
Lydia.....	275	Dana.....	Greene.....	133	..... Rolfe
Lorraine.....	485	Davenport.....	Scott.....	134	..... Bedford
Scott-Zedoka.. 2		Davenport.....	Scott.....	135	..... Keystone
Wide Awake... 9		Davenport.....	Scott.....	136	..... Maquoketa
Davis City.... 157		Davis City....	Decatur.....	137	..... Sheffield
Undine.....	534	Dawson.....	Dallas.....	138	..... Murray
Dean.....	582	Dean.....	Appanoose.....	139	..... Chapin
Friendship.... 11		Decatur.....	Decatur.....	140	..... Shelby
Oneota.....	175	Decorah.....	Winneshiek....	141	..... Logan
Dedham.....	171	Dedham.....	Carroll.....	142	..... Manchester
Silver Lake... 214		Delhi.....	Delaware.....	143	..... Fontanelle
Delta.....	402	Delta.....	Keokuk.....	144	..... Eldora
Denison.....	420	Denison.....	Crawford.....	145	..... Stockport
Derby.....	370	Derby.....	Lucas.....	146	..... Humeston
Acme.....	128	Des Moines....	Polk.....	147	..... Hull
Alpha.....	572	Des Moines....	Polk.....	149	..... Springville
Columbian.... 181		Des Moines....	Polk.....	150	..... Gladbrook
Golden Star... 352		Des Moines....	Polk.....	151	..... Emmetsburg
Leech.....	76	Des Moines....	Polk.....	152	..... Keota
Mercy.....	215	Des Moines....	Polk.....	153	..... Chester
Naomi Star... 257		Des Moines....	Polk.....	154	..... Hartley
Sweet Brier... 188		Des Moines....	Polk.....	155 Unionville
Victory.....	308	Des Moines....	Polk.....	156 Preston

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Silver Lining..	82	DeWitt.....	Clinton.....	157	Davis City
Eva Ann.....	197	Dexter.....	Dallas.....	158	Van Wert
Opal.....	349	Dickens.....	Clay.....	160	.....	Redfield
Grant.....	305	Dike.....	Grundy.....	161	.....	Victor
Silver Valley..	474	Douglas.....	Fayette.....	162	.....	Belmond
Dow City.....	497	Dow City.....	Crawford.....	163	.....	Plover
Primrose.....	179	Dows.....	Wright.....	164	.....	Woodbine
Drakesville...	248	Drakesville...	Davis.....	165	.....	Bondurant
Dubuque.....	173	Dubuque.....	Dubuque.....	166	.....	Shenandoah
Golden Crown..	8	Dunlap.....	Harrison.....	168	.....	Letts
Perseverance..	192	Durham.....	Marion.....	169	.....	Mt. Sterling
Dysart.....	475	Dysart.....	Tama.....	170	.....	Maynard
Junietta.....	185	Eagle Grove...	Wright.....	171	.....	Dedham
Marguerite....	233	Earlham.....	Madison.....	172	.....	Mediapolis
Christina.....	290	Earlville.....	Delaware.....	173	.....	Dubuque
Violet.....	22	Early.....	Sac.....	174	.....	Red Oak
Eddyville.....	186	Eddyville.....	Wapello.....	175	.....	Decorah
Morning Star..	236	Elberon.....	Tama.....	176	.....	Tama
Rachel.....	77	Eldon.....	Wapello.....	177	.....	Hampton
Eldora.....	144	Eldora.....	Hardin.....	178	.....	Chelsea
Eclipse.....	592	Elgin.....	Fayette.....	179	.....	Dows
Hazel Valley..	466	Elkader.....	Clayton.....	180	.....	Sabula
Nishna.....	504	Elliott.....	Montgomery..	181	.....	Des Moines
Eliston.....	540	Ellston.....	Ringgold.....	182	.....	New Sharon
Ellsworth.....	69	Ellsworth.....	Hamilton.....	183	.....	Swan
Elwood.....	571	Elwood.....	Clinton.....	184	.....	Pleasantville
Palo Alto.....	151	Emmetsburg...	Palo Alto.....	185	.....	Eagle Grove
Amethyst.....	509	Epworth.....	Dubuque.....	186	.....	Eddyville
Harmony.....	55	Estherville....	Emmet.....	187	.....	Maxwell
Coronation...	586	Exline.....	Appanoose....	188	.....	Des Moines
Fairfield.....	96	Fairfield.....	Jefferson.....	189	.....	Shell Rock
Hawkeye.....	386	Fairfield.....	Jefferson.....	190	.....	Lytton
Farlin.....	411	Farlin.....	Greene.....	191	.....	Carroll
Farmington...	23	Farmington...	Van Buren.....	192	.....	Durham
Poinsetta.....	102	Ferguson.....	Marshall.....	193	.....	Union
Silver Link....	536	Fonda.....	Pocahontas....	195	.....	Ontario
Cora.....	143	Fontanelle....	Adair.....	196	.....	Iowa Falls
Northern Light	344	Forest City....	Winnebago....	197	.....	Dexter
Bon Ami.....	280	Fort Dodge....	Webster.....	198	.....	Rockwell
Grace.....	50	Fort Dodge....	Webster.....	199	.....	Slater
Empress.....	364	Ft. Madison...	Lee.....	200	.....	Humboldt
Happy Hour...:	385	Frank Pierce...	Johnson.....	201	.....	Little Cedar
Mt. Vernon...	211	Fredericksburg.	Chickasaw....	202	.....	Brooklyn
Happy Home...	291	Fremont.....	Mahaska.....	203	.....	Beacon
Fulton.....	100	Fulton.....	Jackson.....	204	.....	Miles
Lena.....	279	Galt.....	Wright.....	205	.....	Storm Lake
Maple River...	565	Galva.....	Ida.....	206	.....	Anita
Loyalty.....	217	Garner.....	Hancock.....	207	.....	Clinton
Garrison.....	75	Garrison.....	Benton.....	208	.....	Colfax
Truth.....	302	Geneva.....	Franklin.....	209	.....	Cantril
Gilbert.....	463	Gilbert.....	Story.....	210	.....	Rockwell City
Wistaria.....	231	Gilman.....	Marshall.....	211	...	Fredericksburg
Moss Rose....	150	Gladbrook....	Tama.....	212	Mapleton

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Woodland	552	Glenwood	Mills	213	Spring Hill
Goldfield	300	Goldfield	Wright	214	Delhi
Grand Junction	448	Grand Junction	Greene	215	Des Moines
Grand Mound	513	Grand Mound .	Clinton	217	Garner
Grandview	454	Grandview	Louisa	218	Kanawha
Graettinger . . .	417	Graettinger	Palo Alto	219	Ruthven
Gravity	560	Gravity	Taylor	220	Silver City
Canterbury Bell	506	Gray	Audubon	221	Cedar Rapids
Maple	227	Greeley	Delaware	222	Onawa
Greene	381	Greene	Butler	223	Blockton
Martha	37	Greenfield	Adair	224	Moville
Grinnell	119	Grinnell	Poweshiek	225	Kingsley
Griswold	480	Griswold	Cass	226	Charles City
Sunset	353	Grundy Center	Grundy	227	Greeley
Betheden	85	Gruver	Emmet	230	Lake City
Fairview	304	Guss	Taylor	231	Gilman
Mizpah	92	Guthrie Center	Guthrie	232	Randalia
Josephine	7	Guttenburg	Clayton	233	Earlham
Hamburg	88	Hamburg	Fremont	234	Nevada
Mistletoe	38	Hamilton	Marion	236	Elberon
Rosella	177	Hampton	Franklin	237	Newton
Olive	32	Hancock	Pottawattamie .	238	Luton
Arthana	322	Hansell	Franklin	239	Bussey
Zenobia	286	Harlan	Shelby	240	Manly
Prairie View . .	543	Harris	Osceola	241	Russell
Genevieve	154	Hartley	O'Brien	242	Clinton
River View . . .	442	Hastings	Mills	243	Ireton
Busy Bee	598	Havelock	Pocahontas	244	Walnut
June	589	Hawarden	Sioux	245	Persia
Moonlight	400	Hawkeye	Fayette	246	Lynnville
Garnet	293	Henderson	Mills	247	Rock Valley
Adelia	337	Highland Cent'r	Wapello	248	Drakesville
Hillsboro	445	Hillsboro	Henry	249	Paullina
Love	345	Hiteman	Monroe	250	Selma
Holly Springs .	490	Holly Springs . .	Woodbury	251	Teeds Grove
Sacred	462	Homer	Hamilton	252	Riverton
Amon	115	Hopkinton	Delaware	253	Ayrshire
Gertrude	553	Hornick	Woodbury	254	Auburn
Zest	407	Hubbard	Hardin	255	Mystic
Dorcas	564	Hudson	Black Hawk . . .	256	Cedar Falls
Hull	147	Hull	Sioux	257	Des Moines
Humboldt	200	Humboldt	Humboldt	258	Newell
Miawa	146	Humeston	Wayne	259	Sac City
Ida Grove	264	Ida Grove	Ida	260	Masonville
Lilium	25	Independence . .	Buchanan	261	Laporte City
Indianola	111	Indianola	Warren	262	Sigourney
Carnation	376	Iowa City	Johnson	263	Perry
Iowa City	416	Iowa City	Johnson	264	Ida Grove
Averine	196	Iowa Falls	Hardin	265	Sioux City
Jewel	243	Ireton	Sioux	266	Oto
Maceo	424	Jamaica	Guthrie	267	Wever
Beulah	24	Jefferson	Greene	268	Modale
Oriole	421	Jewell	Hamilton	269	Brighton

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Pleasant Valley	110	Kalo	Webster	270	Percy
Golden Glow	218	Kanawha	Hancock	271	Cincinnati
Kellogg	339	Kellogg	Jasper	272	Lineville
Colfax	4	Keokuk	Lee	274	Melbourne
Keosauqua	340	Keosauqua	Van Buren	275	Dana
Emerald	152	Keota	Keokuk	276	Cushing
Keswick	561	Keswick	Keokuk	277	Lacona
Petunia	135	Keystone	Benton	278	Lohrville
Kirkville	297	Kirkville	Wapello	279	Galt
Plymouth Star	225	Kingsley	Plymouth	280	Ft. Dodge
Kingston	357	Kingston	Des Moines	281	Ollie
Marion	70	Knoxville	Marion	282	Massena
Rainbow	277	Lacona	Warren	283	Royal
Francisca	406	Ladora	Iowa	284	Cresco
Progress	230	Lake City	Calhoun	285	Shannon City
Star	30	Lake City	Calhoun	286	Harlan
True Friends	375	Lake Mills	Winnebago	287	Bertram
Silver Star	431	Lake Park	Dickinson	288	Conway
Pond Lily	19	Lake View	Sac	289	Buckeye
Queen City	492	Lamont	Buchanan	290	Earlville
Autumn Leaf	524	Lanesboro	Carroll	291	Fremont
Thistle	261	Laporte City	Black Hawk	292	Taintor
Larrabee	590	Larrabee	Cherokee	293	Henderson
LeClaire	124	LeClaire	Scott	294	Clemons
Vestal	103	Lehigh	Webster	295	Marshalltown
Acorn	62	LeMars	Plymouth	297	Kirkville
Equal Rights	419	Leon	Decatur	298	Sidney
Mt. Pleasant	125	Lester	Lyon	299	Bristow
Lettsville	168	Letts	Louisa	300	Goldfield
Constance	64	Lewis	Cass	301	Boone
Phoenix	371	Libertyville	Jefferson	302	Geneva
Linby	65	Linby	Jefferson	304	Guss
Eden	126	Linden	Dallas	305	Dike
Fidelity	272	Lineville	Wayne	306	Monticello
Grumme	460	Liscomb	Marshall	307	Toledo
Liberty Star	201	Little Cedar	Mitchell	308	Des Moines
Favorite	484	Little Sioux	Harrison	309	Searsboro
Mary	141	Logan	Harrison	311	Marysville
Lincoln	278	Lohrville	Calhoun	313	Bayard
Hukill	594	Lone Tree	Johnson	314	Andrew
Long Grove	315	Long Grove	Scott	315	Long Grove
Luton	238	Luton	Woodbury	316	Ute
Luther	512	Luther	Boone	317	Clarinda
Luverne	405	Luverne	Kossuth	318	Salix
Fanny Taylor	246	Lynnville	Jasper	319	Mondamin
Greenleaf	190	Lytton	Sac	320	Marengo
Macedonia	341	Macedonia	Pottawattamie	322	Hansell
Hawthorne	350	Macksburg	Madison	323	Albia
Madrid	487	Madrid	Boone	325	Aurelia
Magnolia	551	Magnolia	Harrison	327	McIntire
Poweshiek	67	Malcom	Poweshiek	328	Arlington
Crescent	142	Manchester	Delaware	329	Tracy
Royal Blue	240	Manly	Worth	330	Northboro

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Buena Vista ..	258	Newell.....	Buena Vista...	392	Woolstock
Golden Palace	578	New Hampton..	Chickasaw.....	393	Bunch
Safety.....	409	New London...	Henry.....	394	..	Columbus Junct
New Market..	427	New Market...	Taylor.....	396	.....	Curlew
Clio.....	182	New Sharon...	Mahaska.....	398	.....	Troy Mills
Margaret.....	237	Newton.....	Jasper.....	399	.....	Van Meter
Bridgman.....	14	Nichols.....	Muscatine.....	400	Hawkeye
Nora Springs..	483	Nora Springs ..	Floyd.....	401	Meriden
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Iowa.....	355	North English..	Iowa.....	403	Rossville
Ina.....	429	Northwood....	Worth.....	404	Moravia
Mississippi Val	525	Oakville.....	Louisa.....	405	.....	Luverne
Odebolt.....	336	Odebolt.....	Sac.....	406	.....	Ladora
Jefferson.....	74	Oelwein.....	Fayette.....	407	.....	Hubbard
Victoria.....	101	Ogden.....	Boone.....	408	....	Columbus Jct.
Ioka.....	281	Ollie.....	Keokuk.....	409	....	New London
Elise.....	222	Onawa.....	Monona.....	410	.....	Oxford
Queen Esther..	46	Onslow.....	Jones.....	411	.....	Farlin
Prairie Belle ..	195	Ontario.....	Story.....	414	.....	Rippey
Jimetta.....	363	Orient.....	Adair.....	415	.....	Avery
Osage.....	351	Osage.....	Mitchell.....	416	.....	Iowa City
Sarah.....	57	Osceola.....	Clarke.....	417	.....	Graettinger
Independent ..	389	Oskaloosa	Mahaska.....	418	.....	Plymouth
Oskaloosa.....	16	Oskaloosa	Mahaska.....	419	.....	Leon
New Hall.....	468	Osterdock	Clayton.....	420	.....	Denison
Oto.....	266	Oto.....	Woodbury.....	421	.....	Jewell
Ottosen.....	569	Ottosen.....	Humboldt....	424	.....	Jamaica
Enterprise....	132	Ottumwa.....	Wapello.....	425	.....	Mitchellville
Myrah.....	41	Ottumwa.....	Wapello.....	426	.....	Ackley
Oxford.....	410	Oxford.....	Johnson.....	427	.....	New Market
Panora.....	68	Panora.....	Guthrie.....	428	.....	Colesburg
Wild Rose....	249	Paullina.....	O'Brien.....	429	.....	Northwood
Pella.....	118	Pella.....	Marion.....	430	.....	Primghar
Percy.....	270	Percy.....	Marion.....	431	.....	Lake Park
Edna.....	263	Perry.....	Dallas.....	432	.....	Bagley
Persia.....	245	Persia.....	Harrison.....	433	.....	Pilot Mound
Pierson Valley	374	Pierson.....	Woodbury.....	434	....	Correctionville
Pilot Mound..	433	Pilot Mound..	Boone.....	435	.....	Armstrong
Pisgah.....	451	Pisgah.....	Harrison.....	437	.....	Marathon
Pleasantville ..	184	Pleasantville..	Marion.....	438	.....	Somers
Powhatan.....	163	Plover.....	Pocahontas....	439	.....	Central City
San Juan.....	418	Plymouth.....	Cerro Gordo..	440	.....	Chillicothe
Scarlet.....	42	Pocahontas....	Pocahontas....	441	.....	Batavia
Samaritan....	89	Polk City.....	Polk.....	442	.....	Hastings
Pomeroy.....	78	Pomeroy.....	Calhoun.....	444	.....	Reinbeck
Excelsior.....	470	Prairie City....	Jasper.....	445	.....	Hillsboro
Home Charity	156	Preston.....	Jackson.....	446	.....	Cleghorn
Locke.....	430	Primghar.....	O'Brien.....	447	Spirit Lake
Echo.....	104	Princeton.....	Scott.....	448	..	Grand Junction
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Rosebud.....	232	Randalia.....	Fayette.....	451	Pisgah

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Pope	136	Maquoketa	Jackson	333	Udell
Marathon	437	Marathon	Buena Vista ..	334	Britt
Marble	347	Marble Rock ..	Floyd	335	Sanborn
Marcus	467	Marcus	Cherokee	336	Odebolt
Marengo	320	Marengo	Iowa	337	Highland Center
Grove City ...	35	Marion	Linn	338	Anthon
Concordia ...	295	Marshalltown ..	Marshall	339	Kellogg
Electric	331	Marshalltown ..	Marshall	340	Keosauqua
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Martinsburg ..	502	Martinsburg ..	Keokuk	342	Meservey
Rose of Sharon	311	Marysville	Marion	344	Forest City
Queen	106	Mason City ...	Cerro Gordo ...	345	Hiteman
North Star	260	Masonville	Delaware	346	Waukon
Matilda	282	Massena	Cass	347	Marble Rock
Jeptha	187	Maxwell	Story	348	Burlington
Fern	170	Maynard	Fayette	349	Dickens
Pocket City ...	114	McGregor	Clayton	350	Macksburg
Wayne	327	McIntire	Mitchell	351	Osage
Verona	71	Mechanicsville.	Cedar	352	Des Moines
Viola	172	Mediapolis	Des Moines	353	Grundy Center
Pleasant Hours	274	Melbourne	Marshall	355	North English
Menlo	547	Menlo	Guthrie	356	Sperry
Meriden	401	Meriden	Cherokee	357	Kingston
Glendale	342	Meservey	Cerro Gordo ...	359	Mt Vernon
Miles	204	Miles	Jackson	360	Winterset
Milford	519	Milford	Dickinson	361	Battle Creek
Joanna	489	Millersburg	Iowa	362	Rhodes
New York	518	Millerton	Wayne	363	Orient
Milton	56	Milton	Van Buren	364	Ft Madison
Red Rose	537	Minburn	Dallas	365	Algona
Iola	600	Minden	Pottawattamie.	366	Brandon
Lillian	20	Missouri Valley	Harrison	367	Williamsburg
Garcia	425	Mitchellville ...	Polk	368	Randolph
Missouri Dale.	268	Modale	Harrison	369	Clinton
Mondamin	319	Mondamin	Harrison	370	Derby
Prosperity	26	Monona	Clayton	371	Libertyville
Eureka	52	Monroe	Jasper	372	Cherokee
Vashti	113	Montezuma ...	Poweshiek	373	Washta
Loyal	306	Monticello	Jones	374	Pierson
Tesson	93	Montrose	Lee	375	Lake Mills
Moravia	404	Moravia	Appanoose	376	Iowa City
Welcome	91	Moulton	Appanoose	378	Webster City
Mt. Auburn ...	496	Mt. Auburn ...	Benton	379	Seymour
Magdalene ...	520	Mt. Ayr	Ringgold	380	Superior
Crystal	45	Mt. Pleasant ..	Henry	381	Greene
Garland	169	Mt. Sterling ...	Van Buren	382	Ash Grove
Hill City	359	Mt. Vernon ...	Linn	384	Booneville
Belvidere	224	Moville	Woodbury	385	Frank Pierce
Esther	138	Murray	Clarke	386	Fairfield
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Elizabeth.....	444	Reinbeck.....	Grundy.....	455	Agency
Renwick.....	473	Renwick	Humboldt.....	456	Quimby
Rhodes.....	362	Rhodes.....	Marshall.....	457	Walker
America.....	10	Richland.....	Keokuk.....	458	Burr Oak
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Cornelia.....	252	Riverton.....	Fremont.....	461	Clermont
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Zerah.....	210	Rockwell City .	Calhoun.....	466	Elkader
Gem.....	247	Rock Valley ..	Sioux.....	467	Marcus
Rodney.....	486	Rodney.....	Monona.....	468	Osterdock
Pocahontas...	133	Rolfe.....	Pocahontas....	469	St. Charles
Rose Hill.....	527	Rose Hill.....	Mahaska.....	470	Prairie City
Spring Valley..	472	Rose Hill.....	Mahaska.....	471	Brazil
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Silver Maple..	283	Royal.....	Clay.....	473	Renwick
Russell.....	241	Russell.....	Lucas.....	474	Douglas
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Ariel.....	60	Scranton.....	Greene.. ..	481	Dallas Center
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Juanto	250	Selma.....	Van Buren	484	Little Sioux
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White Lily....	137	Sheffield.....	Franklin	488	Thornton
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Palm.....	199	Slater.....	Story.....	510	Troy
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At Home.....	469	St. Charles....	Madison.....	520	Mt. Ayr
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Columbia.....	6	Stuart.....	Guthrie.....	525	Oakville
Bremer.....	98	Sumner.....	Bremer.....	527	Rose Hill
Sincerity.....	380	Superior.....	Dickinson.....	529	Bouton
Virginia.....	51	Sutherland....	O'Brien.....	530	Blencoe
Riverside.....	183	Swan.....	Marion.....	531	Whiting
Swea City	588	Swea City....	Kossuth.....	532	Manson
Diamond.....	292	Taintor.....	Mahaska.....	533	Clarksville
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Alpine.....	251	Teeds Grove...	Clinton.....	536	Fonda
Galilee.....	90	Thompson.....	Winnebago....	537	Minburn
Oakdale.....	488	Thornton....	Cerro Gordo...	539	Cylinder
Helping Hand.	517	Tipton.....	Cedar.....	540	Ellston
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Willow.....	398	Troy Mills....	Linn.....	551	Magnolia
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Amelia.....	531	Whiting	Monona.....	587 Barnes City
Williamsburg .	367	Williamsburg.	Iowa.....	588 Swea City
Walter.....	516	Wilton Jct.....	Muscatine.....	589 Hawarden
Winfield	453	Winfield	Henry	590 Larrabee
Crown.....	360	Winterset	Madison.....	591 Sioux City
Winthrop.....	522	Winthrop.....	Buchanan.....	592 Elgin
Wiota.....	514	Wiota.....	Cass.....	593 Cambridge
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Wm. Russell

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Joseph Ogle

Keokuk, No. 13—

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A. E. Walker
George Campfield
Chas. Griebisch
W. W. Johnston
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Joe Shook

Tingley, No. 15—

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Charles Wiltv

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John A. Otto

Fred Gall

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S. G. Strong

Bloomfield, No. 23—

J. S. Baker

James M. Games

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Fort Des Moines, No. 25—

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M. Messer

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Peter Bullman

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John Coleman

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Goshen, No. 53—

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Charity, No. 56—

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Memorial Service

Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Iowa

Grand Sire, Joseph T. Oliver, Presiding

Memorial Program

Organ Prelude-----Mrs. W. H. Carter
Invocation-----Rev. R. N. Burress, Grand Chaplain
Music, "Strain of Praise"-----Quartette

Lena T. Ring, P. P.

Eulogy-----Harriett Stevenson, P. P.
Music, "No Night There"-----Quartette

Rose H. Carney, Past Treasurer

Eulogy-----Effie Graham, P. P.

Our Deceased Sisters

Address-----Nannie Buckley, Warden
Violin Solo, Sonata in G Minor-----Mr. Eugene Carter

M. W. White, P. G. M., P. G. R.

Eulogy-----Geo. M. Kellogg, P. G. P.
Music, "Crossing the Bar"-----Quartette

Rank and File

Address-----Z. A. Church, P. G. M.
A. D. Steele, P. G. P., P. G. R.

Eulogy-----J. S. Bellamy, P. G. P.

Fred Christianer, Custodian

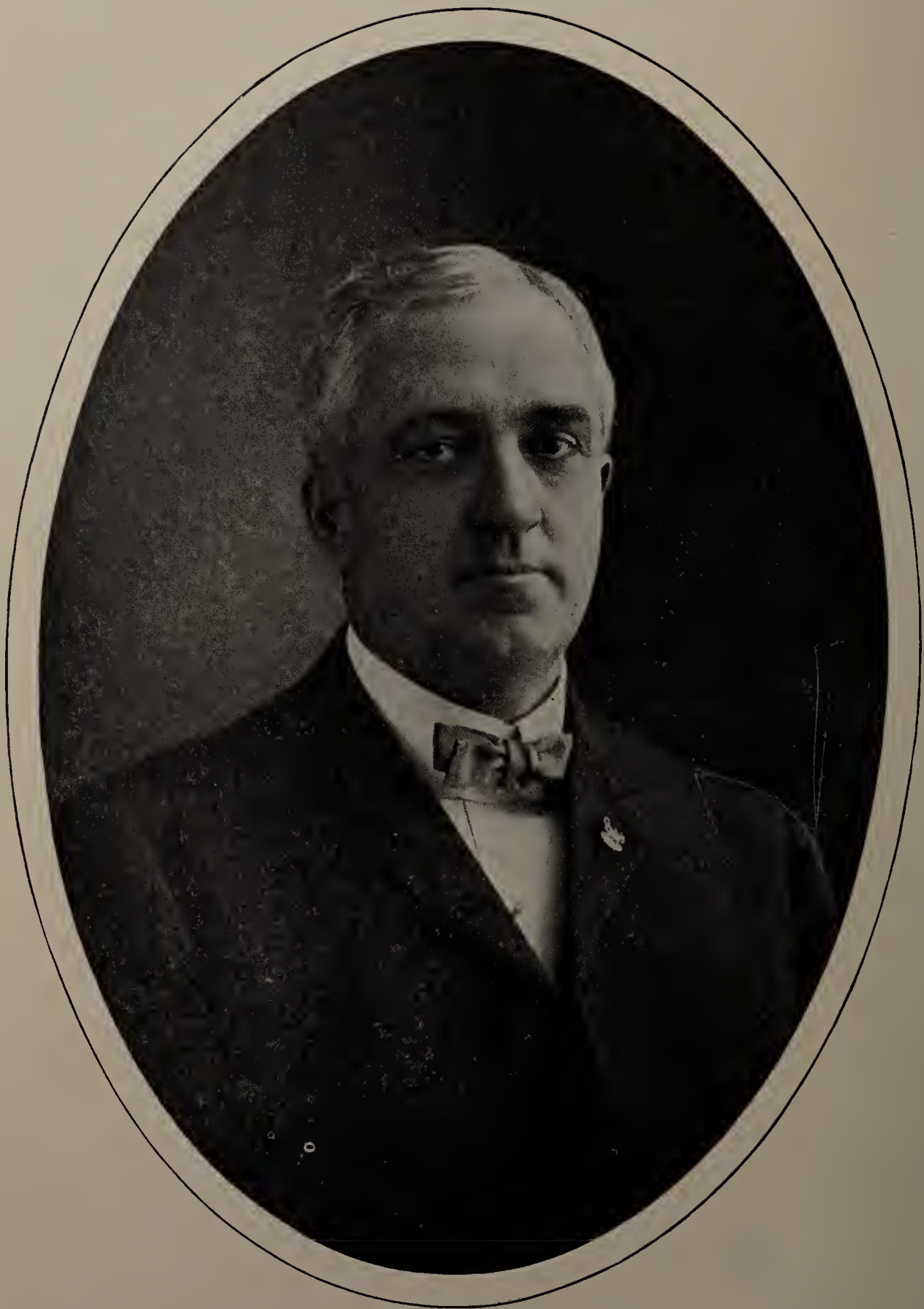
Eulogy-----Rev. Thomas S. Humphrey
Vocal Solo, "The Peace of God"-. Mrs. Florence W. Schouten
Benediction-----Rev. R. N. Burress, Grand Chaplain
Recessional-----Mrs. W. H. Carter



LENA T. RING
Past President Rebekah Assembly.
Born May 3, 1870. Died February 5, 1920.



ROSE H. CARNEY
Past Treasurer Rebekah Assembly.
Born July 24, 1852. Died May 17, 1920.



M. W. WHITE

Past Grand Master - Past Grand Representative.

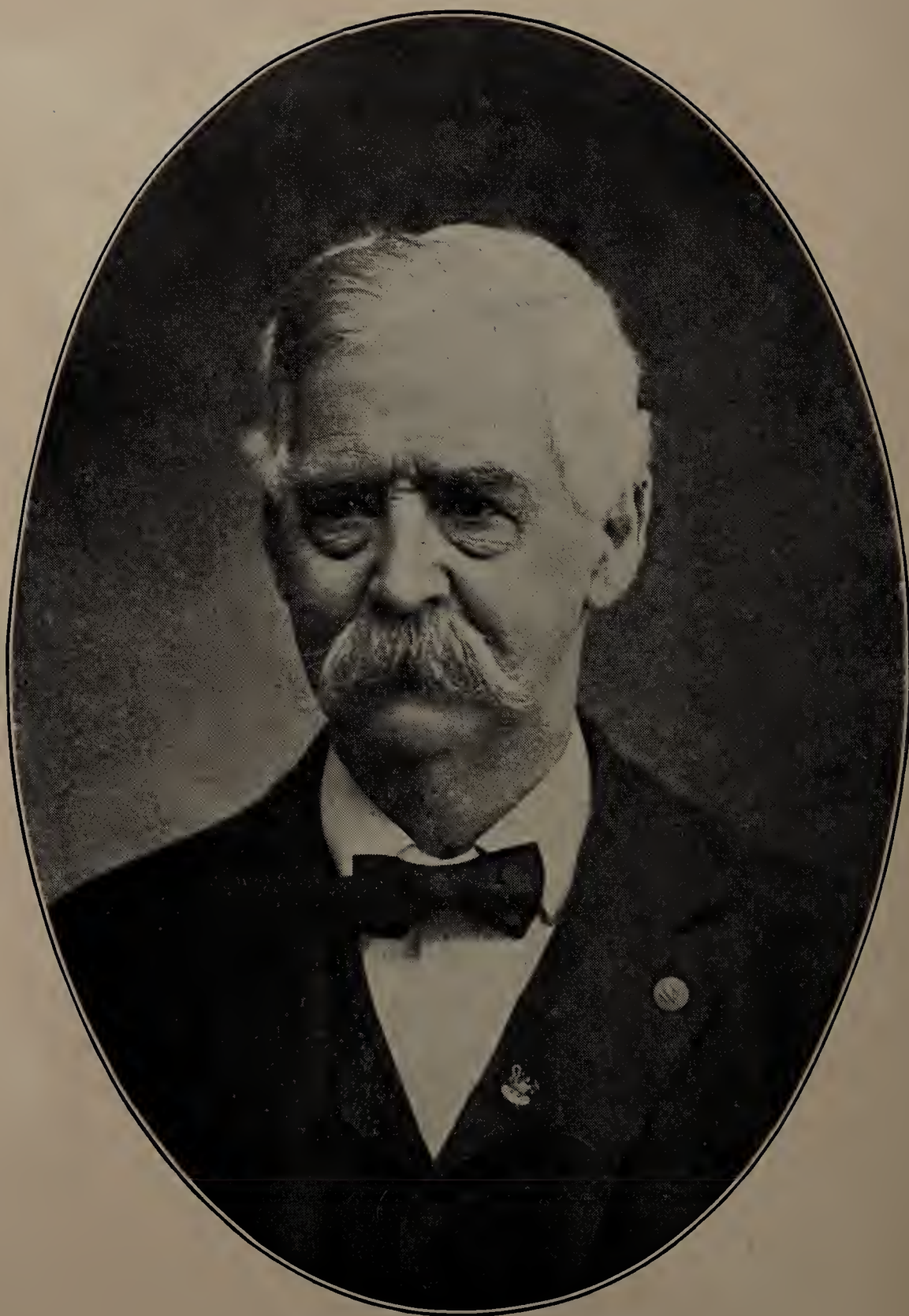
Born April 2, 1854. Died August 11, 1920.



FRED CHRISTIANER

Chairman Board of Instruction.

Born November 22, 1829. Died September 25, 1920.



A. D. STEELE

Past Grand Patriarch - Past Grand Representative.

Born September 17, 1839. Died August 11, 1920.

LENA T. RING, PAST PRESIDENT

Eulogy by Harriett Stevenson, P. P.

This hour is consecrated to the memory of Lena T. Ring, a woman of superior endowments of heart and brain, who by vote of the Rebekah Assembly, was elevated to the presidency in the year 1911-12.

Hers was a leadership full of precious inspiration for the advancement of the principles we teach; a leadership characterized by lofty ideals and the love of right and justice.

Many could be described by a word, that would accentuate some personal trait, but Sister Ring was a woman of character so complete, that no one outstanding excellency can convey a proper mental picture. Forcefulness was the one most indicative of her life among us.

Mere words, however, are inadequate and immaterial, when our hearts are overflowing. Multiply the love of one of us, by the numbers who have attended these sessions for the past twenty years, and we want a thousand fold more the power to express the appreciation of this hour.

Though we miss her loved presence, we shall always be truly grateful that we were permitted for so long to have the benefit of her valued services to our fraternity.

The physical body has departed, but the real true spirit lives most positively in the deeds of kindness and acts of love, inspired in the rest of us, by her noble life. Her influence is not lost. It remains with us to guide us along the paths of duty impelling us to the practice of altruism, charity, benevolence, friendship and morality.

"THE HARVEST OF DEATH"

(By Albert Pike)

"Mourn not him whose star has set,
While its light is with us yet;
While remembered words are dear,
While his spirit meets us here.

"Nothing done is done in vain,
Words and deeds alike remain;
Memories soft and sad become
Angels luring us to home.

"Living men are havenward led
By the errors of the dead,
Murmur not, but work and pray;
Death is heaven's dawn of day."

So while we are inclined to mourn her death and think of the loss of her companionship, every worthy deed, every worthy thought of hers bears its fruitage and she is still with us and in us.

The grave covers every error, buries every defect, and extinguishes every resentment, leaving nothing but fond regrets and tender recollections. As trees display their most radiant colors just before their winter's sleep, so do the virtues of men and women shine out as they fall into the restfulness of the tomb. We still keep the best of her in lasting remembrance.

Sister Ring's administration was filled with many and varied activities. She counted it a high privilege to work for the Homes. The Old Folks Home was furnished and dedicated during her year. It was largely due to her common sense, tact and sound judgment, that the funds to meet this great undertaking, were available, as they were required to meet the obligations.

Her zeal and enthusiasm for Odd Fellowship, kept its teachings from becoming a dead letter at her hands. Its ritual was interpreted by her great strong mind, revealing its spirit, and adapting its lessons to our modern daily needs.

In her own words, "Our Order is truly keeping step with the advancing procession of the age, and as we meet each year, we carefully readjust our machinery so that it may keep in harmony with the times in which we are living."

She was a splendid official, diligent in visitation of Lodges, alert to their needs and finely discriminating in the application of remedies. She vitalized the weak Lodges and stimulated the strong.

In religion she was a Methodist. She loved her church and its teachings and was firm in her convictions. She had an untiring interest in and keen sympathy with the young women of her Sunday School class, the members of which she influenced strongly in the molding of their characters.

The daughter of a soldier, she was herself exceptionally patriotic. She was the state president of the Woman's Relief Corps and during the World War devoted herself to the Red Cross and woman's work. She ever stood for home, country and the brotherhood of mankind.

She was devoted to the advancement of education and at the time of her death was the leader of the current events' department of the Cedar Rapids Woman's Club. Her capacity for work seemed almost unlimited.

She has probably done more to leave her impress on those with whom she was associated than any other woman in the Assembly and none are held in greater esteem.

Our hearts go out in kindly sympathy to her devoted husband, Past Grand Master H. C. Ring. Our tears mingle with his. Her loyalty to him was one of her chiefest virtues.

Her final address should rest as a benediction on this Assembly. She confidently believed that Odd Fellowship prospers best, when the closest bond of sympathy prevails between its different branches. In her last speech she pleaded for a practical co-operation and a cordial and intimate interest between the Grand Lodge and the Assembly.

Our monument to her matchless fidelity to duty can be erected through an unfaltering zeal for Odd Fellowship, dedicated not to the woman, nor to any accomplishment of hers, but to the spirit which kept her faithful even unto death, the spirit of faith and hope.

Let us pledge anew our allegiance to the great principles and work that bind us together in a high fellowship of unselfish service.

“Death his solemn seal hath set
On bright and bygone hours,
And they we mourn are with us yet,
And more than ever ours—
Ours by the pledge of love and faith,
By hopes of heaven on high;
By trust, triumphant over death,
In immortality.”

ROSE HALFERTY CARNEY, PAST TREASURER

Eulogy by Effie Graham, P. P.

In the passing of Rose Halferty Carney the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa has lost another pioneer of our Order. Sister Carney was born July 24, 1852, and departed this life May 17, 1920.

When quite young she was married to George Halferty, a member of the Order. To this union three children were born, and while the children were still quite young death entered the home and took the husband and father, leaving Sister Carney to provide for the maintenance and education of her little family. While there was a scarcity of this world's goods and at times the burdens were exceedingly heavy she was strengthened and sustained in her struggle by her unfaltering trust in the Great Order of Odd Fellows which promises to be “a guardian to the widow, a father to the fatherless.” It is pleas-

ing to remember that her trust was not misplaced and in all the years of her membership she never wavered but proved a loyal and enthusiastic member until her earthly pilgrimage ended.

After many years of widowhood and after her children had established homes of their own she was united in marriage to J. H. Carney, also a member of the Order, living with him in happiness and comfort, until his death a few years ago.

We first learn of her work in the Rebekah Assembly as a delegate from Rosetta Lodge No. 109, of What Cheer, at the Council Bluffs session in the year 1892, and at which session President Sarah E. Carmichael appointed her Chairman of the Finance Committee.

At the session in 1892 Sister Carney was elected Treasurer and served in that capacity at the session held at Clinton in 1893.

During the years of Sister Carney's service a wonderful growth has taken place in the Rebekah Assembly. Today our Treasurer is the custodian of sixteen times the amount of money that was entrusted to Sister Carney's care in 1893, the year of her service, and our membership has increased seven fold. It was Sister Carney's pleasure to watch the Rebekah branch grow from a small organization into the strong body we represent today. The splendid work and achievements of our Order were always a source of pleasure and pride to Sister Carney.

She took an active part in the work of her home Lodge and district; was a faithful member of the Past Noble Grands Association, and a loyal worker in Harmony Aid Society, and by her interest and untiring efforts contributed to the upbuilding of the Rebekah branch.

It was my pleasure after the years of our association together in the Order, as well as a personal friendship of many years, to appoint her Chaplain of the Assembly at the 1917 session, an office which she filled with credit to herself and the Order. I do not know how many sessions of the Assembly Sister Carney attended, but am quite certain she came whenever it was possible for her to do so. I recall several incidents of her Lodge experience that were of especial interest to her and of which she often spoke. One was that she was the Instituting Officer of Electric Rebekah Lodge No. 331, the home Lodge of our President, Margaret Schechter, and of which Lodge Sister Carney later became a member. She always referred to herself as the "Lodge Mother."

Another pleasing incident to her was when The Sovereign Grand

Lodge met in Springfield, Ill., some years ago, and Electric Lodge exemplified the Beautified work for the members in attendance.

Some of you will recall her childish delight last year when Sister Schechter was installed President. Would that she might have been permitted to meet with us this year, but it was not to be.

“So let us leave her with a smile,
To greet her in the afterwhile.
Let us go forth and learn anew
The lessons in God’s sky of blue.
In the flowers, and the budding trees,
The sunshine, and the gentle breeze,
The grandeur of the purple hills,
The music in the rippling rills,
The sweetness of the song bird’s notes
As they come trilling from their throats;
And then with faith and hope to try,
When God’s bright stars light up the sky,
To read the message He would tell:
Our loved one sleeps, and all is well.”

OUR DECEASED SISTERS

By Sister Nannie Buckley, Warden.

Today we are performing one of our duties, a sacred duty, one we should perform lovingly, willingly.

Each year we set aside a few hours, from our work of the different branches of our beloved Order, to bow our heads and hearts in solemn realization that members of our Order have responded to the call of the Grand Master, which none can fail to heed.

We meet to commemorate the passing of our beloved sisters of the rank and file into the great beyond.

In the most unique of Hebrew books, “Revelation,” we read “Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.” St. John left nothing to be said except for us who are left behind.

“We never wholly lose
What God hath given.
They live in thought and deed
As truly as in His heaven.”

Since our last meeting of our grand Order, many of our dear sisters

have answered the call to come up higher. They have gone out from among us; their work on earth is over, except as their sweet influence is felt on the lives of those who had been near and dear to them.

We can do nothing for them now; the time for that is past, but Sister Rebekah's, we CAN if we WILL, comfort those left in deep sorrow. To you who sorrow, let me give you a sister's favorite poem, one of Kipling's:

“When earth's last picture has faded,
And the brush is all twisted and dried,
When the oldest colors have faded
And the youngest critic has died;
We shall rest, and faith we shall need it;
Lie down for an hour or two
Till the Master of all good workmen
Shall find us some work anew.

“And those who've been good shall be happy
They shall sit in a golden chair
They shall paint on a ten league canvas,
With brushes of camel's hair.
They shall have real saints to paint from:
Magdalene, Peter, and Paul;
They shall paint for an age at a sitting,
And never grow tired at all.”

“And only the Master shall praise them
And only the Master shall blame,
And no one shall work for money
And no one shall work for fame.
But each in his separate star
Shall draw the thing as he sees it
For the God of things as they are.”

Happy are they who can look upon death as simply a change in the great life cycle, when a complete earth existence has been spent, and years of usefulness have accorded to one's account, it becomes a less tragic experience to say the last good-bye and to put away our dear dead ones unto the great day.

We persuade ourselves to dry our tears and to console our loneliness with the recounting of past intercourse and of accomplished efforts.

We let the life that has been near to us sweeten, uplift, and strengthen, until thought becomes a habit, and—we are saved.

The work that our dear sisters were doing in the Lodge room, shall that work stop? No, it must be carried on by others. Shall we bear the cross left for us? Yes, we can if we will and bring comfort and joy to a great many. But there are other duties. Each one must feel like Elisha of old, that the mantle has fallen upon her shoulders to strengthen, empower, and spiritualize. Are we ready? You remember the call to the youth Samuel? We, too, say, "Here am I." Let us not work for personal glory, but for the glory and good of our wonderful sisterhood and then great returns will be ours.

Why these Memorial Stones? The many that dot our world over. Sister, there is a lesson to be taken from each one. Some of these monuments are not completed as yet—we must go on building, we must go on with the work of adding to our Beautiful Monument, "The Home at Mason City," the one that those dear sisters had helped to plan and build, it is their monument. I would liken it to the one being built to the memory of sweet Helen Hunt Jackson. A few years ago it was my privilege to stand beside the Seven Falls in south Cheyenne Canyon and to look upon the place where this noble woman was laid to rest. Her monument is being built by her admirers. Those that visit this beautiful spot will add to her monument by placing two stones thereon and taking one away. Her sweet influence is being felt. Her influence was a power for good she exerted over others by her beautiful thoughts, her words and actions.

So shall the influence of our dear sisters be felt and we shall add to their monument—"None of us liveth to himself"—everything leaves a history and an influence. It is what man WAS that lives and acts after him. What he said sounds along the years like voices amid the mountain gorges, and what he did is repeated after him in ever multiplying and never ceasing reverberations. Every man has left behind him influence for good or evil. What kind of a monument are you then building? You will remember that this memorial stands for more than sympathy.

It was my privilege to visit in the "Sunny South" the past winter and to visit "Historical Chattanooga," to stand beside some of those beautiful monuments that had been erected by the different states in memory of their brave heroes. Was it the different inscriptions that were placed thereon that held me spellbound, as it were? No! Grand and most wonderful as they were, there was that influence I felt reaching down to me from some of those whose lives had gone on,

their sweet memory came to me crowding out all other thought. If we, too, could only remember our lives will go on and on long years after this frail house of clay has returned to dust, methinks we would be more ready to speak kindly and send our roses while it is day.

The year's history has been written and we find that many names have been enrolled in the "Lamb's Book of Life." This day, "Memorial Day," which always comes to us laden with sweetly sad and happy memories. We love to call up memories of days that are gone.

Our blessed Christian land has its memorial day, when we love to recount the deeds of our fallen heroes. And we drop our flowers wet with tears, because we love to remember. Why? Again! Because their sweet influence is guiding us. Every Christian college, every Christian society, every branch of the Christian church, has its memorial day in which we call to mind the death and dying love of Him who died that we might live. And the Lord's memorial day we keep because He himself commanded it. He said, "Do this in remembrance of me." So the constraining memories of the cross of that great and wondrous love wherewith He loved us, causes us to observe memorial day for Him. Is it not this Christian love which is at the foundation of all memorial exercises?

No brilliancy of mind, no beauty of character, no power of wealth, can escape this final decree that God has written.

All of us, regardless of rank or power, must, sooner or later, take that pilgrimage to the "Isle of Somewhere." This is His will. Then let us be guided by the gentle influence of those who have gone to that "Beautiful Isle" and gather up the sunbeams that they scattered and weave them into memory's golden chain.

Now shall we not be happy that our dear ones are with Him who giveth His loved ones sleep—

He sees when their footsteps falter, when their hearts grow weak and faint;

He marks when their strength is failing, and listens to each complaint;

He bids them rest for a season, for the pathway has grown too steep;
And, folded in fair, green pastures,

He giveth His loved ones sleep.

Like weary and worn-out children, that sigh for the daylight's close,

He knows that they oft are longing for home and its sweet repose;
So He calls them in from their labors, ere the shadows round them
 creep,
And silently watching o'er them,
 He giveth His loved ones sleep.

He giveth it, oh, so gently! as a mother will hush to rest
The babe that she softly pillows so tenderly on her breast.
Forgotten are now the trials and sorrows that made them weep,
For with many a soothing promise
 He giveth His loved ones sleep.

He giveth it! Friends the dearest can never this boon bestow;
But He touches the drooping eyelids, and placid the features grow!
Their foes may gather about them, and storms may round them sweep,
But, guarding them safe from danger,
 He giveth His loved ones sleep.

All dread of the distant future, all fears that oppress today,
Like mists that oppose the sunlight, have noiselessly passed away,
No call nor clamor can rouse them from slumbers so pure and deep,
For only his voice can reach them,
 Who giveth His loved ones sleep.

Weep not that their toils are over; weep not that their race is run;
God grant we may rest as calmly when our work, like theirs, is done!
Till then we would yield with gladness our treasures to Him to keep,
And rejoice in the sweet assurance—
 He giveth His loved ones sleep.

MILTON W. WHITE, P. G. M., P. G. R.

Eulogy by George M. Kellogg, P. G. P.

Past Grand Master and Past Grand Representative Milton W. White was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, April 2, 1854, where he lived until he was eleven years of age, when he moved with his parents to Iowa county, Iowa, and settled on a farm. He attended West Irving Academy for a time and then attended the Iowa State University where he graduated in 1882. After graduating he moved to Van Horn, Iowa, where he practiced medicine about four years; he then attended Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, where he graduated in 1888. From there he came to Sioux City, Iowa, where he carried on a successful practice until ill health forced him to retire on May 25, 1919. He died August 11, 1920, surrounded by his faithful, loving wife and friends.

In the death of Brother Past Grand Master White the community has lost a respected, Christian citizen; his wife, a loving, devoted husband and the Order a faithful member.

Brother White joined the Order in Van Horn, Iowa, in 1883 and passed through the chairs ending his term as Noble Grand June 30, 1886. He joined Western Star Lodge No. 282, by card, February 12, 1889, where he passed through the chairs of the Lodge as he also did in the Grand Lodge and was installed Grand Master in October, 1903, in Sioux City, Iowa. Brother White was a consistent Odd Fellow and he loved the work with all his heart. After he retired as Grand Master he did not rest on his laurels as a great many members do who pass the chairs in the Subordinate Lodge, but continued to work in his Lodge, taking part in the degree work even up to the time that he was compelled to retire on account of sickness.

There was probably no Grand Master in Iowa that was better known and more loved and respected by the entire membership than was Brother Past Grand Master White. He was a man of pleasing address; he had a genial, kindly disposition; he had a big heart; he was ever ready to hear the cry of affliction and aid those in distress, and it was probably in the aid of those in distress that helped to bring on the sickness that caused his death. It was said of Dr. White that the night was never too stormy nor the distance too great for him to visit a sick patient when his presence was needed at their bedside.

His life was a busy, useful one; we will miss him. In our day dreams we can recall that for which the poet Tennyson expressed the heart's desire, "The touch of a vanished hand, and the sound of a voice that is still."

He was capable and efficient in all that he undertook to do and his record as Grand Master of this jurisdiction bespeaks his ever ready assistance that was his to give in making the Order he loved so well a part of his daily life. He had been a member of the Appeals Committee in the Grand Lodge for many years and had wisely and judiciously helped settle most of the difficulties that naturally came to that committee, but I have never heard where an enemy was made by his decisions.

The entire Order in Iowa will feel his loss; a moment's reflection will bring us to the realization that our ranks are thinning fast. Each year our distinguished and beloved brothers are joining the Order in that wonderful land of "Somewhere." Our pilgrimage on earth is short, even though we are spared to live the allotted span, three score years and ten. Past Grand Master White was still in the

prime of life when afflicted with the terrible disease that caused his death. He bore his pain with great fortitude and when the end drew near he said that he was prepared and ready to go. May the memory of his life which was faithful in all of his duties be an incentive to us, to be more faithful to our obligations and with earnest endeavor labor for the cause of humanity.

Brother White left a widow, three sisters, two brothers and hundreds of friends to mourn his death.

“So let him sleep that dreamless sleep,
Our sorrows clustering round his head.
Be comforted ye loved who weep
He lives with God—he is not dead.”

THE RANK AND FILE

Eulogy by Z. A. Church, P. G. M.

The great trouble in making a study of the Bible is that the student generally feels that he is approaching a subject so much of the unknown and so far removed from the ordinary affairs and matters of proof that he cannot understand it. That is, that there is something that cannot be explained and something around which the evidence gathers that cannot be made plain. The student fails to appreciate the fact that he must deal with this study, as he would deal with any other study, with an open mind and with a desire to accept facts when presented to him, as he would in the study of chemistry, physiology or astronomy. I present to you today, in a form such as I would present, as a lawyer, the evidence which we have touching the birth, the life, the work, the crucifixion, the burial and the resurrection of the Savior, and I ask your candid consideration, as a jury, as I would ask the candid consideration of a jury in a lawsuit touching material matters. If a juror, when accepted, agrees to and does remove from his mind any pre-conceived notions, or opinions or so called evidence, coming to his knowledge prior to his acceptance as a juror, he is sworn in the box, to be governed only by the evidence submitted in the case and the deductions to be drawn therefrom without prejudice or passion or pre-conceived notions; that his mind will be free and open to accept all the evidence submitted and to be governed by the rules of law both declared and natural, in reaching his verdict. I ask you then to make yourself a juror, under such circumstances, and asking this I presume you accept it and take the position to accept the evidence that I offer to you upon this subject. I offer you the evidence of four principal witnesses and incidentally evidence of material but not principal witnesses. Before offering this testimony it will be well to

remember that a long time has elapsed and matters of a long time ago are to be proven, that are proven by the very best evidence that may be offered under this rule.

If a matter of title to real estate were in issue and no living witnesses could be found, courts, judges and people have gone to certain place or places to discover if, in the recording place where such evidence could be found ordinarily, to see if any paper, book, pamphlet, printed matter or record could be found, and if found in the proper and ordinary place where such books, papers, pamphlets, records or printed material could be naturally found, such evidence is accepted as being true and correct. The objectors and critics of the testimony offered by the four Evangelists, to-wit: Matthew, Mark, Luke and John do not hesitate to accept the history written by Tacitus or Josephus but accept without objections anything that non-scriptured historians have written as true, forgetting that when they do so that they are accepting the history written by men co-temporaneous with the Christ and to be consistent one can as well be accepted as the other.

Many years ago France was in great trouble. She was having a great war with England. She had no leader of the people of France. A young, immature, uneducated peasant girl claimed to see visions and to hear voices, her name being Joan of Arc, and she took it upon herself to become the leader of the French people and to lead successfully in the battles against the English, but was given over by the French people to the theologians and tried as a heretic; condemned, and her life taken, although in later years she was declared a Saint and within a very few months she was canonized as such and a great people met in solemn conclave to pay honor to the dead savior of France. In this conclave and in the world, no one who reads the history and the life of Joan of Arc doubts the history as so related. There is not a living witness who can give testimony touching the fact that she lived; that she claimed to have spiritual visions and heard spiritual voices; that she led the troops of France and became the idol of a soldiery and the savior of the peoples of France, and there is not a scrap of evidence to prove this fact except the written and printed history of these times and the man who would doubt the fact, as it is a fact, that Joan of Arc lived and did the things as claimed she did, was burned at the stake, would be the laughing stock of any community in civilized land; in fact no one denies it.

When the great Napoleon was dominating the old world and the allies of those days joined together to curb his ambition and destroy his power a critical battle was fought at Waterloo. Years have passed, time flows along, participants in said battle are dead, non-

combatants have passed away, the sunken road down which charged the flower of Napoleon's army has been smoothed over so that no trace could be found by a stranger, that it ever existed. Probably no battle of the world is studied more, referred to more frequently, than this battle at Waterloo. There is not a living witness of that affray to prove that it was an existing fact; that the battle occurred; that Napoleon was a French general and leader and Emperor; that he opposed the allied forces of the different nations of Europe; that Napoleon's aid did not come to his support in time; that Napoleon was defeated; that the map of Europe was entirely changed and that Napoleon's star commenced to set. This is all given by historical references, printed matter and written reports made at that time or since. If an issue were made and offered in any court of justice one could establish all of the facts and circumstances referred to regarding the matter of Joan of Arc and a verdict would be rendered that it was all true without a single witness going upon the stand. If an issue were made that the battle of Waterloo was fought; that Napoleon led forces in France with the result so serious to that nation, the issue would be returned in an answer by the jury that it did happen and that the facts were as claimed, and I do not think that one could better prove all of the facts surrounding the Battle of Waterloo before a court of justice of today than to offer in evidence, Victor Hugo's historical report of the Battle of Waterloo, being found in *Les Misérables*, for it is accepted as the clearest and the best history, notwithstanding the histories written by Lord, Ridpath and others.

This leads me to attempt to show you the evidence that I offer, of the facts and circumstances surrounding the Savior, and in first submitting the testimony of the four Evangelists, before mentioned, I will attempt to tell you who they were and how they came to hand down this history for the generations to come.

They are all referred to by many peoples as four fishermen. In that climate and in that country and at that time the fishermen were very great and the climate being mild, the fish taken were far in excess of meats from animals, hence the often reference in the Bible in regard to the fisher folk and the result of their netting. Matthew, the first of the four, had been a tax collector. The languages spoken by the people were so different it became necessary to have a tax collector who could speak the language of several nations, as then, as now, many men were tax dodgers, and it required a sharp, shrewd, well posted business man to collect the taxes due, and necessary to pay the running expense of the government, and Matthew had been selected because he was fit for the place; he knew the peoples of the differ-

ent nationalities, their characteristics and mental effort, their style of analysis, their types of honesty, their deficiencies, their un-scrupulousness and was able to cope with them and he was said to have collected some \$22,000,000.00 each year for the support of the government. Such a man as this ought to be able and was able to write the history of the life of Christ as he knew it, so that it would be a true presentation of the great character of the Savior. The probabilities are that all four Evangelists were either eye witnesses or wrote what they knew not later than ninety years after the time of Christ, that during that time they collected the history, the written history either in shorthand, for shorthand existed at that time, or in writing and in the unwritten history passed down in the family line like the unwritten history of our order of the secret work, and when Matthew wrote he wrote for the Jewish people because he knew, as I have said before their mental efforts and personal characteristics.

Matthew was constituted one of the twelve Apostles and constantly he attended the person of Jesus until the crucifixion so that he had personal knowledge of which he wrote and the probabilities are that he wrote some time on or about the year A. D. 37, and from all of his writings, he being a Jew, familiar with the opinions, ceremonies and customs he wrote for the Jewish People. His familiarity with the people, the broad business in which he was engaged is shown by the fact that he exacted from the Asiatic provinces of which Judea was one, about \$22,000,000.00 yearly, as aforesaid.

Mark was the son of a pious sister of Barnabas. His Hebrew name was John but was changed to Mark when he took up his position as the follower of the Christ, and as Matthew wrote for the Jews so it is finally concluded that Mark wrote for the Gentiles. The manner of treating the subject by him was in accordance with the manner and customs of the Gentiles, and although he wrote differently than Matthew, still in some places he will have a statement made by Matthew, and include others not made by Matthew. It is proof that Mark did not copy from Matthew, but it may be said that there is a very strong probability that Mark took some of his narrative from the statements of Peter who was as familiar with the life of the Savior as Matthew.

Luke was a physician and as the historians obtained a man of worth and active life. He wrote for the Gentile converts. I have often wondered why it was that out of the four there should be a physician. The best picture ever written of the physicians of unselfish labor and their work is the picture of Dr. McClure as presented by McLaren in the Bonny Briar Bush. There he presents the composite picture in part, of the great doctor doing good to suffering humanity.

But my experience has been that physicians do not attend church services regularly. In my own town with a dozen or more physicians there is not one of them that is a regular attendant to church services or prayer meeting. This does not detract from the Christian character or their philanthropic and unselfish work but it leads me to be surprised that the physician Luke should have been one of the four to write the history of the Savior and he presents his book in a historical manner of the life of the Savior.

Fourth was John. The best evidence is that the Gospel, written by John, was about the year of 68 but is generally considered to have been written after the other three. John stood afar off at crucifixion and it was to him the Savior confided the care and keeping of His mother. He knew personally about the fact and the facts of which he wrote, and he gave to us his book of historical narrative of the facts surrounding the birth, the youth, the life, the work, the trial, the crucifixion and the resurrection of the Savior. Keeping in mind my references to Joan of Arc, and your acceptance of the story told by the historians, keeping in mind the Battle of Waterloo, and the historical story told to us by Victor Hugo, Historians Lord and Ridpath, historians of the world, and after accepting the truth of the statements regarding Joan of Arc and the Battle of Waterloo, may I not ask a verdict at your hands that the story told in the four books as presented by the historians and writers, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John is true as presented to us in this commonplace and businesslike way, asking you in the close as I did at the start to disabuse your mind of anything other than to apply your best judgment to proven facts and reach a verdict on this momentous matter as you would upon other matter submitted to you under evidence.

The Rank and File of the Order have lived, they have been a part of the great past, they have lived in more or less of years and in years and in time surpassing anything that has occurred in history before them, or is liable to occur in the unknown and great looked forward future. Each one of them has filled his place in more or less of a degree the best that he knew how and in the work in which he was engaged. Each one came into the field of action without any volition on his part and went out of the world's work and activities at the call of the same force and power that brought him into existence. The poverty stricken man living upon the willing benevolence of the Brothers of the Order, the millionaire member of the Order asking no financial aid of any one or of the order, each and both passing away as a member of the Rank and File will be found in the great judgment time to have their work and each his work judged, based upon

the results obtained in the time that he lived upon this earth and not because of his poverty or of the riches that he had obtained. The great plan and philosophy of life, as it appears to me, was, on the part of the Creator that each member of the Rank and File should be born into the time and place where it was intended, and when it was intended that he should commence his work, the work that was intended for him to take charge of and perform and if the poorest member or the millionaire has fulfilled each and in his way that intention on the part of the great Power or Creator, then he has lived his life well. Surely an Order like this with its beautiful and uplifting precepts, its moral obligations and its high ideals should present in their merits to those representatives of the Rank and File a platform upon which each could stand and work and give a satisfactory report at the end of his days. It is the belief of the living of this Order that the Rank and File has fulfilled collectively its duty, has filled its place, has done its work and that it can receive the commendation of good men and true.

A. D. STEELE, P. G. P., P. G. R.
Eulogy by J. S. Bellamy, P. G. P.

Almer D. Steele was born in Alexandria, Licking county, Ohio, September 17, 1839, and passed away at his home in Knoxville, Iowa, August 11, 1920.

When sixteen years of age he came with his parents to Marion county, Iowa, where he resided until his death.

In August, 1861, Brother Steele enlisted in Company K, 3rd Iowa Cavalry and served during the war in that Regiment, re-enlisting making a service of over four years, participating in a number of battles in which the regiment was engaged.

He was married to Rosetta S. Knowlton, of Albia, Iowa, March 1st, 1864, while at home on a veteran furlough. Twelve days after his marriage, March 12, 1864, he was initiated into Hamilton Lodge No. 78. He held continuous membership in Hamilton Lodge until his death, a period of more than fifty-six years.

On his return from the war he became active in the affairs of Odd Fellowship. Passed the chairs in Hamilton Lodge and was elected a Representative to the Grand Lodge in 1871.

Brother Steele was a member of all branches of the Order, he held membership in the Subordinate Lodge at Hamilton, the Encampment and Rebekah Lodges at Knoxville, and Canton Pioneer at Des Moines.

Brother Steele and his wife were instrumental in organizing Mistletoe Rebekah Lodge No. 38, at Hamilton, in 1870. He was the first Noble Grand and Mrs. Steele the first Secretary. This was the first Rebekah Lodge organized in Marion county.

Mrs. Steele received the Rebekah Degree in Hamilton Lodge September, 1865. At the time of her death in April, 1919, she and Brother Steele held the longest continuous membership in a Rebekah Lodge of any one in Marion county. They with their two daughters were active members of Marion Rebekah Lodge No. 70, for more than thirty years, all four being Past Noble Grands. Mrs. Steele served as Chaplain of the State Assembly and each of the daughters have represented their district in the State Assembly.

Brother Steele was installed Grand Patriarch in the Grand Encampment of Iowa in 1909 at Davenport, and served as Grand Representative to The Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1911 and 1912.

Brother Steele at all times took an active part in the affairs of his country, never neglecting his duty as a citizen. He believed in party organization. On all occasions he was ready to uphold the principles of the political party of his choice, never failing to vote at all elections, either school, city, state or national.

Brother Steele was not a man of wealth. He surrendered his life to his Creator, leaving as a heritage to his family a good name, a clean home life, beloved by friends and neighbors. Farewell, Brother.

FRED CHRISTIANER

Eulogy by Thomas S. Humphrey
(Read by Past Grand Master H. F. Wagner.)

What can I say of Brother Fred Christianer, what tribute can any of us pay to this great Odd Fellow which the grateful heart of this Order has not already paid more abundantly.

It was not because of his brilliant abilities, whose splendor has so often illuminated this great gathering and reached out to the confines of the Order. It was not because his greatheartedness claimed the affection of all who came within the radiance of its charm. It was not because of his kindly humor which threw over all he said and did a mellow geniality more compelling than the sterner methods which many others employ. But we have enshrined Fred Christianer in the temple of our regard because he gave to the uttermost, all of the powers of his being in this cause with an abandonment of devotion.

But I have not come here today to pay either an adequate or a studied eulogy to him. Neither do I rise to lift up a glorious monument to his memory. I am come, however, to plant a flower upon his grave and to pay a loving tribute to his services and to his character.

We do honor to ourselves in the observance of this annual custom in connection with this great gathering. Members of the tribe who were loved in life and lamented in death were held in affectionate remembrance by the savages of the wildwood. How much the more fitting that we, walking the front ranks of civilization, should commemorate the deeds of our beloved dead, whose spirits rule us still from the sacred urn, and who live greenly in our memory. How appropriate that we should thus commemorate the services of those who have bequeathed to us such inspiring examples and legacies that shall stand before us and our successors so long as the principles of the Golden Rule are revered by the sons of men.

Yes, they live whom we call dead. In every age the undying dead have come forth from their silent tombs. Their shadowy train fills all presence. In every time some have lived again in beaten bronze or sculptured marble. Some have lived in song and story, but these tributes have passed with their authors to the oblivious tomb. The sculptured marble may molder and surrender its epitaph to the ravages of time and the rolling years. Even the beaten bronze may buried lie beneath the accumulating dust of the ages; "its grace and form gone, its loveliness vanished away." Such tributes, such memorials await the inevitable hour. They too, pursue those paths that lead but to the grave. The best and brightest monument which we can dedicate to our comrades that have departed, the holiest shrine that we can consecrate to the ones that are gone, must be found in the hearts and the memories of their fellow men.

The name of Fred Christianer is securely enshrined in the hearts of the members of this great fraternity. He won his way to the exalted station in our estimation which he occupied and adorned. For more than half a century he lived the life of a true Odd Fellow. It beautified and enriched his character, and his life has cast a beautiful and radiant influence upon every adherent to this great cause and upon all with whom he came in contact.

The richest possession of this great Order is its men and women of high character and unspotted integrity. Its most valued inheritance is the influence of such characters.

The lesson of this honored patriarch's life is this, that he loved his fellow men, and he was in turn loved by them. He was consid-

erate even to a fault. He was just. His friends were legion because they found him friendly.

In his earlier years his life was one of struggle, yet he surmounted many difficulties by his persistency of purpose. He was a man of power and action. It might be said of him that he was impetuous, yet gentle and forgiving. He loved all that God had made.

It was in the afternoon of his life and as his face was turned toward the western horizon of life that his character became peculiarly sweetened and mellowed by a great love for his fellow man. He found his greatest joy in service to others.

While a patient in a hospital in Southern France, my attention was called to a most beautiful crimson rose out across the garden which seemed to be growing out from the side of an old stone wall. Each day, from my window, I watched its gradual unfolding. It offered to everyone who looked upon it, a smile and an eloquence of beauty. One day I was permitted to wander out to discover, if I might, how this crimson rose could be growing out from the solid wall. I was surprised to find that it had clambered laboriously up from the opposite side of the rough stones in a dark and uninviting narrow passage until it came to a crevice through which beamed the light, still clinging fast to the rugged wall and it had forced its way through, where kissed by the morning light, it burst into bloom of radiant sunset hue.

Brother Christianer's life might easily offer a comparison to this flower. For many years he climbed to the light, and finally when it burst upon his view, he gave forth a blessing and joy to all who knew him. He was a rare comrade who was loved, respected and admired by all, he has left a heritage as enduring as time itself.

His life's labors are ended. The summons came while he stood at the door of my church, where he had come with the Odd Fellows chorus to render an evening program of song. He was borne by some of the brothers to the hospital where he received every attention. It was here that I saw him for the last time in life. He confided to me his final message to you. These were his words, "The angels are singing, yes, they are calling me home. Tell the folks at Grand Lodge that I'll meet them bye and bye."

With eyes bedimmed with tears, and with sorrow in our hearts we carried his remains to his final resting place in beautiful Woodland, following a vast throng, who with uncovered heads, laid at his grave that tribute of mingled grief and gratitude seldom given to any one, and reserved only for their rare beloved who have fallen in the service of the common good.

It is very hard to be reconciled to the loss which the Order has sustained when he was summoned. We cannot understand. We can only bow in submission, grateful to God who spared him to us for so many years to do the work which rounded out his long career. He had climbed to the summit of the mountain. His vision swept the wide horizon. He heard the angel voices calling him. He was obedient to the final summons.

The impenetrable shadows fell about him, and he was gone. We look for him in vain, he has gone up higher, that is all. We cry aloud, but death makes no answer to the living. We "carry on," groping our way. Baffled, we can only blindly call across the dark valley to our beloved companion, Hail, Hail, and farewell.

Past Grand Officers' Association

Keokuk, Iowa, October 20, 1920.

The Past Grand Officers' Association met in the private dining room of the Iowa Hotel, which was beautifully decorated with flowers and flags; the flag of Great Britain occupying a prominent place in the decorations in honor of Grand Sire Joseph Oliver, a resident of Canada, who was an honored guest of the Association.

President J. S. Bellamy called on Brother W. S. Kight to invoke divine blessing. Brother Bellamy stated the pleasure and honor experienced by members of the Association in having the Grand Sire with them, and announced that as it would be necessary for the Grand Sire to leave before the close of the meeting in order to make his train he would ask the Grand Sire to address the meeting at this time.

In well chosen words the Grand Sire expressed his pleasure in visiting Iowa and the various meetings which he had attended, and made brief, but pleasing address regarding the splendid work and achievements of the Order.

Brother Bellamy next introduced Brother August Hohenstein, Grand Master of Minnesota, who spoke entertainingly of the work of Odd Fellowship in his jurisdiction, to which Brother Hazlett, by request of Brother Bellamy, made response.

After the banquet the meeting was called to order by President J. S. Bellamy.

On roll call the following officers and members were found to be present:

J. S. Bellamy, President	T. R. Osborne
Lizzie B. Matthews, Vice-Pres.	Geo. A. Butcher
L. W. Smith, Secretary	J. M. Hazlett
Geo. M. Kellogg, Treasurer	Geo. P. Campbell
W. E. Harriman	Geo. R. Ahrens
J. C. Koonz	Carrie T. Dimond
Zala A. Church	Alice Bellamy
J. H. Henderson	Amelia McPherrin
E. E. Lambert	Belle B. Hetzel
Herbert C. Ring	Agnes M. Mercer
Stymest Stevenson	Ida Van Hon
H. F. Wagner	Laura L. Kent
A. E. Hindorff	Ida A. Tufford
F. F. Wunder	Mary E. Kellogg
A. O. Peterson	Alta Striker
O. H. Sweeney	S. Elizabeth Matheney
W. S. Kight	Hattie Barquist
J. T. Genevay	Helen Prescott
A. Block	Allie Scott
W. C. Kummer	Harriett Stevenson
J. C. Milner	Josie F. Cutting
A. A. Montgomery	Effie Graham
C. E. Alexander	Leah Washburn
J. W. Frizzell	Georgia Quigley

Sister Hetzel stated she had received a letter from Sister Carmichael, who wished to be remembered to the Association.

On motion the minutes of the last meeting were approved as printed without reading.

Brother Geo. M. Kellogg, Treasurer, submitted the following report, which on motion was adopted:

To the Officers and Members of the Past Grand Officers' Association:
 Cash on hand last report-----\$ 79.25
 Received from Secretary for membership fees for Brothers

J. M. Hazlett, and George A. Butcher and Sister Georgia Quigley -----	3.00
Total-----	\$ 82.25
Paid for flowers for Brothers M. W. White, A. D. Steele and Sisters Carmichael and Nelson-----	\$ 9.60
Floral piece for Brother M. W. White's funeral-----	10.00—\$19.60
Cash on hand-----	\$ 62.65

On motion a bill of \$6.20 for notices regarding the meeting of the association was allowed and ordered paid.

On motion the present officers were re-elected.

Nominations for membership being in order the name of President Margaret Schechter was proposed by Sister Harriett Stevenson ; the nomination was seconded by Sister Josie F. Cutting, and Sister Schechter was unanimously elected to membership.

The name of Past Grand Patriarch F. F. Wunder was proposed by Brother G. A. Butcher ; the nomination was seconded by Brother J. C. Milner.

The name of Grand Master F. F. Rodgers was proposed by Brother H. F. Wagner ; the nomination was seconded by Sister Allie Scott.

After a unique initiatory ceremony in which Brothers Z. A. Church, A. A. Montgomery, H. C. Ring and J. H. Henderson participated, Brothers Wunder and Rodgers were elected to-membership in the Association. After their election the Brothers each made pleasing addresses, expressing their pleasure in becoming members of the association.

The presiding officer then turned the meeting over to Brother J. M. Hazlett, Chairman of the Program Committee. An interesting program was given in which responses were made to the following toasts:

- "Subordinate Lodges of Today"-----F. F. Rodgers
- "Encampment Branch of Iowa"-----F. F. Wunder

"Patriarchs Militant Branch"-----Gen. A. O. Peterson
 "Rebekah Branch"-----Margaret Schechter

The Association was greatly honored by the presence of several visiting sisters. Sister Ethel Langford, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Missouri, made brief, but pleasing address, as did also Sisters Mae Crowell, Past President and Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly of Illinois, Nellie Thompson, Warden of the Rebekah Assembly of Illinois, and Cora Phillips, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of Illinois.

Brother Hazlett expressed the pleasure which had come to the Association through the presence of these visiting sisters and extended a cordial invitation for a return visit.

On motion of Brother O. H. Sweeney a vote of thanks was tendered to Sisters Scott and Matheney for the splendid banquet furnished.

There being no further business to come before the Association, on motion the meeting adjourned.

Fraternally yours,

L. W. Smith,
 Secretary.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

1—*J. Whitfield Garner-----	May, 1848, to January, 1849
2—*Amos Matthews -----	January, 1849, to January, 1850
3—*Thomas D. Evans-----	January, 1850, to January, 1851
4—*William D. McCord-----	January, 1851, to January, 1852
5—*Wm. H. Tuthill-----	January, 1852, to October, 1852
6—*Alex. D. Anderson-----	October, 1852, to October, 1853
7—*Richard Cadle -----	October, 1853, to October, 1854
8—*Martin Heisey -----	October, 1854, to October, 1855
9—*John Pope -----	October, 1855, to October, 1856
10—*Wesley Moreland -----	October, 1856, to October, 1857
11—*B. B. Woodward-----	October, 1857, to October, 1858
12—*Thomas Hughes -----	October, 1858, to October, 1859
13—*John W. Jones-----	October, 1859, to October, 1860
14—*Erie J. Leech-----	October, 1860, to October, 1861
15—*Wm. P. Allen-----	October, 1861, to October, 1862

16—*M. H. Cooley	October, 1862, to October, 1863
17—*W. S. Burton	October, 1863, to October, 1864
18—*J. Norwood Clark	October, 1864, to October, 1865
19—*J. J. Edgington	October, 1865, to October, 1866
20—*Benjamin Rupert	October, 1866, to October, 1867
21—*E. H. Wickersham	October, 1867, to October, 1868
22—*W. P. Sharp	October, 1868, to October, 1869
23—*W. W. Moore	October, 1869, to October, 1870
24—*John Gundaker	October, 1870, to October, 1871
25—*Orlando McCraney	October, 1871, to October, 1872
26—*Charles G. Kretchmer	October, 1872, to October, 1873
27—*H. D. Walker	October, 1873, to October, 1874
28—*Ben Newman	October, 1874, to October, 1875
29—*S. S. Winall	October, 1875, to October, 1876
30—*Herman Block	October, 1876, to October, 1877
31—*A. J. Morrison	October, 1877, to October, 1878
32—*B. S. Merriam	October, 1878, to October, 1879
33—W. E. Harriman, Dubuque	October, 1879, to October, 1880
34—*John Van Valkenburg	October, 1880, to October, 1881
35—*George Whipple	October, 1881, to October, 1882
36—*Wm. McCoy	October, 1882, to October, 1883
37—*J. T. Abbott	October, 1883, to October, 1884
38—*J. K. Powers	October, 1884, to October, 1885
39—*W. T. Holmes	October, 1885, to October, 1886
40—*A. J. Baker	October, 1886, to October, 1887
41—*E. W. Hartman	October, 1887, to October, 1888
42—*William Musson	October, 1888, to October, 1889
43—*J. C. Longueville	October, 1889, to October, 1890
44—*Louis Biederman	October, 1890, to October, 1891
45—*O. L. Roseman	October, 1891, to October, 1892
46—*John W. Bulen	October, 1892, to October, 1893
47—*F. W. Evans	October, 1893, to October, 1894
48—*R. L. Tilton	October, 1894, to October, 1895
49—*C. W. Bowen	October, 1895, to October, 1896
50—J. S. Bellamy, Knoxville	October, 1896, to October, 1897
51—J. C. Koonz, Burlington	October, 1897, to October, 1898
52—*E. H. Hibben	October, 1898, to October, 1899
53—*J. J. McIntire	October, 1899, to October, 1900
54—N. Jasper Jones, Shelby	October, 1900, to October, 1901
55—*M. Newman	October, 1901, to October, 1902
56—Z. A. Church, Jefferson	October, 1902, to October, 1903
57—*M. W. White	October, 1903, to October, 1904
58—Wil V. Tufford, Clinton	October, 1904, to October, 1905
59—G. L. Snyder, Marion	October, 1905, to October, 1906

60—J. H. Henderson, Indianola	October, 1906, to October, 1907
61—L. W. Smith, Des Moines	October, 1907, to October, 1908
62—L. W. White, Woodbine	October, 1908, to October, 1909
63—D. B. Gunn, Red Oak	October, 1909, to October, 1910
64—H. C. Ring, Cedar Rapids	October, 1910, to October, 1911
65—Stymest Stevenson, Council Bluffs	October, 1911, to October, 1912
66—E. W. Cutting, Decorah	October, 1912, to October, 1913
67—H. F. Wagner, Sigourney	October, 1913, to October, 1914
68—*Mac J. Randall	October, 1914, to October, 1915
69—O. H. Sweeney, Waterloo	October, 1915, to October, 1916
70—W. S. Kight, Des Moines	October, 1916, to October, 1917
71—C. E. Alexander	October, 1917, to November, 1918
72—J. M. Hazlett	November, 1918, to October, 1919
73—F. F. Rodgers	October, 1919, to October, 1920

*Deceased.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF GRAND SECRETARIES

Jurisdiction	Grand Secretary	Address
Alabama	H. C. Pollard	Huntsville
Alberta	O. E. Tisdale	Calgary
Arizona	Geo. A. Mintz	Phoenix
Arkansas	H. J. Nemnich	Imboden
British Columbia	Fred Davey	Victoria
California	H. D. Richardson	San Francisco
Colorado	O. E. Jackson	Denver
Connecticut	Wm. S. Hutchison	New Haven
Delaware	Wm. W. Douty	Wilmington
District of Columbia	J. T. Allison	Washington
Florida	M. M. Little	Ocala
Georgia	T. H. Robertson	Gainesville
Idaho	Presley F. Horne	Caldwell
Illinois	John H. Sikes	Springfield
Indiana	W. H. Leedy	Indianapolis
Iowa	L. W. Smith	Des Moines
Kansas	Will J. Russell	Topeka
Kentucky	R. G. Elliott	Lexington
Louisiana	R. T. Leland	New Orleans
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Maine	James R. Townsend	Portland
Manitoba	B. D. Deering	Winnipeg
Maryland	Wm. A. Jones	Baltimore
Massachusetts	Geo. H. Fuller	Boston

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Minnesota	A. L. Bolton	St. Paul
Mississippi	Walter S. P. Doty	Grenada
Missouri	Ben Weidle	St. Louis
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Nebraska	I. P. Gage	Fremont
Nevada	Wm. Sutherland	Virginia City
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New Jersey	Harry S. Pine	Trenton
New Mexico	C. Bert Smith	Artesia
New York	Harry Walker	New York City
North Carolina	J. D. Berry	Raleigh
North Dakota	Donald McDonald	Grand Forks
Ohio	C. H. Lyman	Columbus
Oklahoma	G. W. Bruce	Guthrie
Ontario	Wm. Brooks	Toronto
Oregon	E. E. Sharon	Portland
Pennsylvania	Usher A. Hall	Philadelphia
Quebec	T. J. Potter	Montreal
Rhode Island	Kirtland H. Wilson	Providence
Saskatchewan	Geo. M. Baird	Regina
South Carolina	S. F. Killingsworth	Columbia
South Dakota	Harvey J. Rice	Huron
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Wyoming	Thomas Cottle	Green River

PRICE LIST OF SUPPLIES

1.	Anniversary ceremony	\$.50
2.	Book of forms.....	1.10
3.	Book of odes.....	1.10
4.	Button, veteran, \$1.75 plus 5% war tax.....	1.85
5.	Cards for wife or widow, each.....	.25
6.	Cards, withdrawal, each.....	.25
7.	Cards, visiting, each.....	.25
8.	Cards, visiting, non-contributing members, each.....	.25
9.	Certificates, dismissal, each.....	.25
10.	Certificates, transfer, each.....	.25
11.	Chart	3.00
12.	Code	2.25
13.	Floor work .....	.75
14.	Funeral ceremony .....	.75
15.	Installation book .....	.75
16.	Jewel, Honorable veteran, 8 kt. gold, "50" set in brilliants, \$38.00, plus 5% war tax.....	39.90
	Jewel, Honorable veteran, 14 kt. gold, "50" set in small diamonds, \$85.00, plus 5% war tax.....	89.25
	Jewel, veteran, 8 kt. gold, \$11.00, plus 5% war tax.....	11.55
17.	Joint Public Installation.....	.75
18.	Key to the unwritten work.....	.65
19.	Memorial ceremony .....	.75
20.	Odes, funeral, with response, each.....	.10
21.	Odes to music.....	.15
22.	Odes without music.....	.10
23.	Official certificates (receipts for dues) 100 in a book.....	.85
24.	Official certificates, imprint, 5 books.....	4.50
25.	Opening and closing ceremonies.....	.75
26.	Rituals, each	3.00
The above list of supplies are furnished by The Sovereign Grand Lodge, and can only be obtained from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge.		
27.	Auditing book, No. 234.....	2.25
28.	Benefit Roster, No. 035.....	1.50
29.	Black book, indexed, No. 022.....	1.50
30.	Cash book, Secretary's No. 030, 260 pages.....	2.25
31.	Cash book, Treasurer's, No. 033, 200 pages.....	2.25
32.	Constitution book	1.75
33.	Delinquent notices, 100 in block.....	.75
34.	Hoodwink, Fuller's patent.....	2.25
35.	Ledger, Labor Saving— No. 215, 230 members' accounts.....	3.25
	No. 216, 400 members' accounts.....	4.25
36.	Official certificate punch.....	1.00
37.	Orders on treasurer, 300 in book.....	1.60
38.	Petitions for members, 100 in book.....	.75
39.	Physician's blanks, proof of disability, 50 in block.....	.60
40.	Question book .....	.75
41.	Record, Labor Saving— No. 202, 208 meetings.....	4.75
	No. 205, 208 meetings, opening and closing.....	4.75
	No. 207, 416 meetings, one for a page.....	4.75
42.	Report book	1.75
43.	Robert's Rules of Order.....	2.25
44.	Roll book for officers.....	1.75
45.	Roster of members.....	2.00
46.	Seal	6.00
47.	Telegraph call for captain of staff.....	.25
48.	Treasurer's receipts to secretary, 200 in book.....	.90
49.	Visitor's register, No. 021.....	2.25

Remittance must accompany all orders for supplies and all orders must bear impress of the Lodge Seal.

L. W. SMITH,
Grand Secretary.

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